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THE FAMILY
of
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FOREWORD

Beginning a good many years ago the Fish family had a strong desire to keep in touch with one another, and in 1885 the descendants of Joseph Fish met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Calhoun (daughter of Clarissa Fish) in Clinton, Michigan, for a reunion. Again in 1889, a similar gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Hunt in Norvell, Michigan, (Cynthia Fish), and in 1902 and continuing each year thereafter, the members of this family have met for the day at some designated place. In 1902 they organized by electing J. Henry Fish of Saline, Michigan, President for life, and the next year Mrs. Mary Moore Webb was made Secretary-Treasurer. Upon the death of J. Henry Fish in 1908 Everett C. Fish succeeded to the presidency, which he held continuously until 1937 when he resigned because of ill health, and Paul Haigh of Dearborn, Michigan, was elected to that office. In 1923 Mary Webb moved to California and Miss Elma Holmes of Grass Lake, Michigan, was made Secretary-Treasurer.

When J. Henry Fish was president he assembled the genealogical material regarding the family, and an effort has been made to keep this up to date since then, largely with the cooperation of Laverne Bassett and others. In 1933 it seemed wise to have an Historian to take charge of this, and Miss Florence Bancroft of Ann Arbor, Michigan, was chosen for this work.

To these three present officers has fallen the duty of preparing this pamphlet. It has been thought wise to print only five generations, although in some families much more information is available. We realize that there are many dates missing, but trust that it will be found of value and service to members of the family.

Paul Haigh
Elma Holmes
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THE FISH FAMILY

In "American Family Antiquity" by Albert Welles, President American College for Genealogical Research and Heraldry, 1881, we find the following:

"The English family Fish are believed to be a branch from an old Saxon family of Fysche, which in the table of German nobility dates from a remote era, but at what time the removal to England took place is not ascertained."

"From England at a later period Nathaniel, John and Jonathan Fish came to New England and are first found residing at Lynn, Mass., whence they removed in 1637 to Sandwich, Mass. on Cape Cod where Nathaniel remained."

In "The Golden Wedding of Rev. Samuel and Mrs. Bershebe B. Fish" by Henry C. Fish, 1867, we have the following:

"We are inclined to believe that the word Fish as a name among men had a religious origin. A favorite symbol among the early Christians was a rude sketch of a Fish. It appears in the celebrated catacombs of Rome where the Christians fled from persecution as soon as the days of Hadrian (A. D. 117) and perhaps before. The aptness of this symbol is seen in the letters of the Greek word for Fish which are the initials to the words 'Jesus Christ God's Son Savior.'

"So far as we can ascertain the immediate family bearing the name springs from the ancient Saxon root referred to in the records of the German nobility, the spelling there being Fisch. At a very early date a branch of this original stock is found in England and upon the colonization of New England three persons of this name, Nathaniel, John and Jonathan Fish came to this country and settled first at Lynn, Mass. Little is known of these brothers but some facts concerning them and their immediate descendants are here given. (Mainly from condensed account of the Fish Family published in The Mystic Pioneer of August 4, 1866)"

The older members of the descendants of Joseph Fish and his wife Cynthia Barrows, who are now living, remember hearing their parents say that they were descended from two brothers who came



Picture taken at the reunion
at Addison Hunt's in Norvell
1889

The then living brothers and sisters

Laura

Cynthia

Sarah

Clarissa

Lemuel

William

Charles

to this country from England. A search of the records of the Fish Family in the Library of Congress at Washington reveals the fact, as given above, that **three** brothers came to America from England in 1635. They settled first at Lynn, Mass. and in 1637 removed to Sandwich, Mass. These three brothers, all born in England, were Nathaniel, born about 1605; John, born about 1608; and Jonathan, born about 1610. They were all together in 1637 at Sandwich, Mass. Nathaniel is reputed as remaining in Sandwich, John moved in 1655 to Groton, New London County, Connecticut, and Jonathan eventually joined a settlement of Middlebury or Newtown on Long Island as early as 1659.

Inasmuch as our ancestor, Joseph Fish, was born in New London County, Conn. and was reputed to be descended from one of two brothers (probably three, as one of them had settled a long ways away for those days on Long Island), we are quite safe in assuming that we are descended from the one of the three who settled and remained in Connecticut, this one being John Fish.

Mr. Welles gives the following regarding the children of John Fish:

Jonathan Fish, b. Sandwich, Mass. about 1640.

Samuel Fish, b. Sandwich, Mass. about 1642.

He died young.

John Fish, b. Sandwich, Mass. about 1645.

Caleb Fish, b. Sandwich, Mass. Aug. 18, 1649.

Died Feb. 1650.

Samuel Fish, b. Groton, Conn. 1657.

The Media Research Bureau of Washington, D. C., which has made an extensive study of all the Fishes in America, agree on the above statements and give the following regarding the children of John Fish, the second brother:

"Jonathan, John and Samuel, sons of John, made their homes at Groton, while Caleb lived and died at Sandwich. The only one of these whose family record can be found is Samuel, who had the title of Captain."

Various records were found of the descendants of this Captain Samuel Fish but none which enabled us to claim any descent from him. Hence we shall have to start our record with Joseph Fish, born in Montville, New London County, Connecticut. A history of Joseph Fish's family was written by his daughter, Cynthia Fish Hunt, in her later years. Much of this was as she remembered hearing it, and in certain particulars has been found since to be in error, but is being given here just as it was written.

HISTORY OF THE FISH FAMILY

by

Cynthia Fish Hunt

Joseph Fish was the fourth son of Joseph and Abigail Lathrop Fish and was born in Montville, New London Co., Conn. March 13, 1784. When quite a lad he came with his parents into the state of New York settling in Little Falls, Herkimer Co., where they kept tavern in a double log house. When Joseph became of age he left home to make his own way in the world, bidding the family good-bye and never saw his mother again, for she died soon after.

He went into Onondaga County, where the city of Syracuse now stands and was engaged in boiling salt for a time. Eventually he went into the town of Otisco where his brother Uriah had located a farm and began making improvements. He there made himself useful in wielding the axe for he was an expert chopper and the country was almost an unbroken wilderness. In the course of time he formed new acquaintances for he was of a genial nature and fond of company.

Very soon the adjoining town of Marcellus held a strong attraction for him in the person of Cynthia Barrows, whose acquaintance he had made and who eventually became his wife. Cynthia Barrows was the oldest child of Lemuel and Abigail Grant Barrows and was born Nov. 10, 1785 in Thompson, Windham Co., Conn. where she lived until about five years of age when the family removed to the state of Vermont settling in the town of Bridgeport, Rutland Co. where they remained until the year of 1801 or until the subject of this sketch was 17 years old. Her father then removed with his family into the state of New York, making the journey in mid-winter and crossing some portion of Lake Champlain on the ice. He settled in Onondaga Co. town of Marcellus where he located a tract of 600 acres of land granted him by government for services in the Revolutionary War, by virtue of which his descendants are eligible to become Sons and Daughters of the Revolution.

Col. Barrows settled on his farm and remained there until his death which occurred in the summer of 1843. Miss Cynthia was engaged in teaching school in the summer of 1806. A log school house had been built with an open fire place on one side. Stoves were an unknown luxury in that early day. When engaged with her little group one bright morning in June it suddenly began to grow dark and cold. A fire was kindled for both warmth and light. She then explained to the children the cause of the darkness. There was a total eclipse of the sun which lasted over three minutes. There was consternation among the ignorant people thinking the

day of judgment had come. A sombre darkness like a funeral pall overhung all nature and the time seemed so long that the darkness lasted. When the sun shone again it was like the beginning of a new day; and all nature rejoiced.

On December 11, 1806 Joseph Fish and Cynthia Earrows were united in marriage by the Rev. Daniel Bradley at the home of the bride's parents. They made them a home in the same community where they had lived many years and where most of their twelve children were born. In the year of 1811 they moved into the town of Williamson, Ontario Co., where they procured a farm of government, built a log house near the lake and began making improvements. One morning as Mr. Fish was cutting wood at the door, he was startled by the whizzing of a bullet past his head, on looking up he saw two men in a row boat which had just reached shore. One of the men sprang out and approached him with a "Good morning, friend. Don't be alarmed. I just came for a morning call and to ask you to join our ranks in the U. S. Army." It was useless to resist so that is the way he became a soldier in the war of 1812. He served his time and was honorably discharged.

While living in Williamson their son William was born. A change in circumstances necessitated a return to Marcellus having lived in Williamson only two years. In 1826 they moved into the town of Tully, same county, where they lived eight years and where their youngest child Laura was born. It was while living in Tully that Mr. Fish met with an accident in handling lumber that deprived him of the two middle fingers of his right hand. In 1834 the family moved into the town of Hastings, Oswego county, but remained there only about two years before coming to Michigan.

One bright morning in June 1836 they with their six youngest children and several of their neighbors set out for the far west, the wilds of Michigan. They took passage on a line boat on the Erie Canal at Syracuse and were three days and nights on the way before reaching Buffalo. There they embarked on the steamer North America and after a tempestuous voyage of three and one half days reached Detroit. Facilities for travelling at that time were not luxurious nor even comfortable. The steam horse had not found its way into the new country.

A fine span of horses, a lumber wagon and a steady driver were procured and the family with a few boxes of necessary clothing were packed in and they started for their destination in Jackson county, the men walking a good share of the way. The late storm had made the roads almost impassable. Streams were swollen and had to be forded, bridges were washed away, and ferries were used in transporting the emigrants. Thus they plodded on through

mud and rain occasionally crossing a corduroy, which, if not agreeable served to keep up a good circulation and aid digestion.

The scenery was varied and not altogether unpleasant. Wild flowers were abundant and the song of birds was sweet. The shrill whistle of the quail was not unwelcome, as it helped to make variety and was new to the travelers. But most unwelcome was the "More wet" that was daily experienced in answer to quail prophecy.

After four day of wearisome travel the wayfarers reached their destination at the home of their oldest daughter Sophia and her excellent husband, John M. Hunt, who gave them a most cordial welcome.

Strange as it may seem a journey of 600 miles was made in twelve days in 1836 which in this day of rapid transit can be made in the same number of hours.

Some of us have seen wonderful transformations and improvements but none of us can foretell the changes that may take place in the next fifty years. It is safe to say that no mistake was made in coming to Michigan. Prosperity was visible everywhere.

Only four years before the first settler, Wm. Hunt, had made him a home on the plains in the township of Napoleon, now Norvell. Already there were large tracts of improved land with growing crops of various kinds. There were large fields of wheat just whitening for the harvest. The neighborhood was fast filling up with a most intelligent and excellent class of people. A school house had been built which served a double purpose for school and church for many years. The hardships and privations of new country life were not experienced for they had come where plenty was in store and dispensed with a generous hand. There was plenty of hard work before them but no one feared to meet it and do his or her share.

After a while they made them a home of their own, finished in new country style with an open fireplace, andirons and a swinging crane. Here they lived and were contented and happy. Though the surroundings were humble there was a continual feast for love that crowned it all. There were many scenes of merry making, weddings and family gatherings, in the old house. The voice of song was often heard and the voice of prayer and thanksgiving at the family altar. The years flew by and the children one by one went out to make homes of their own. When the last one flew the children decided that father and mother were too old to live alone and arranged to care for them the remainder of their days in their own homes.

They met their first sorrow while living with their oldest daughter Mrs. John M. Hunt who died after a long illness. It was the first

death in the family and was a hard blow to the aged father and mother. But they bowed in submission, knowing that the loving Father doeth all things well. A few years later the next oldest daughter Mrs. Huntley was taken. They also felt her death most keenly but were enabled to say "God's will be done." For several years before his death Mr. Fish was sorely afflicted in the loss of his eyesight. At first it seemed so hard to give up and become a care to his friends, he almost murmured but faith triumphed and a few months before his death he said to the one who was caring for him, "God knows what I need and though I am blind my spiritual vision is clear. I have not had a doubt nor a dark hour for a long time. I can almost see the Celestial City and hear the music of the Heavenly Choir. I shall soon be there and there are no blind eyes in Heaven." On June 3, 1862 he died after a short but painful illness at the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. J. S. Hunt; aged 78 years. Mrs. Fish survived him two and a half years. Though perhaps less demonstrative than her husband she lived what she professed, a true Christian life. Her religion was a deep seated principle which she maintained till the last. On January 30, 1865 she bade good-bye to her loved ones here and entered the Heavenly Home, where many of her children have since followed her.

The following was written by Laura J. Hunt, of Erie, Pa. and included with Cynthia Hunt's record.

At the present writing, July 12, 1904, but two of the twelve children are living, Mrs. Addison Hunt of Norvell, Mich. and Mrs. John S. Hunt of Erie Pa., better known as Aunt Cynthia and Aunt Laura. There were no deaths in the family until every child had reached mature years, married and settled in homes of their own. All had at some period of their lives professed their faith in Christ as their Savior and had identified themselves with the visible church. A noticeable trait of character throughout the family was the love and interest each cherished for the others and their fondness for adding comfort and happiness to all. May the Father of all mercies gather every one an unbroken family into the Celestial City where the house has many Mansions.

REMINISCENSES OF LEMUEL FISH

The following sketches were written by Lemuel B. Fish in 1884 or thereafter, while he was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Paw Paw, Michigan.

JOSEPH FISH — OUR FATHER

Was born in Connecticut, March 15, 1784, of English descent. He came to Onondaga, New York, while yet a young man in which state he married and there were born to him six sons and six daughters.

He was a man of medium size and weight, of an amicable disposition, naturally of a religious turn of mind, always evincing great reverence for God and kindness to his fellowmen, scrupulously honest and always obliging to his neighbors. He was a sweet singer and used to lead that part of devotion in church and taught singing some when he was young.

Part of his life was spent in the lumber business, but most of it in farming. He professed religion in the year 1837 and was baptised into the Brooklyn Church in the spring of that year by Rev. J. I. Fulton. He had moved to Jackson County, Mich. the year before (from Oswego County, N. Y.) with Mother and six of the younger children. His life was always that of a Christian gentleman. Always faithful to his duties, generally cheerful, a hard worker, but always poor. He lost his sight about 1855 and died at sister Lauries in Ronald Ionia Co. Mich., June 3, 1862, in my arms. The last time he sung was on his death bed a day or two before he took leave of us.

"Jesus can make a dying bed
Feel soft as downy pillows are
While on His breast I lean my head
And breathe my life out sweetly there."

In the old tune "All Saints." His death was a sweet and peaceful one by which I lost the most perfect bosom friend I ever had.

He never failed me and what success I have had in life I owe largely to my dear loving father.

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OUR MOTHER

Cynthia Barrows Fish.

Was of Welsh and English descent, born in Addison County, Vermont Nov. 10, 1785. She was of Puritan stock. Her father was a Captain in the Revolutionary War and inherited a fine piece of

land in Onondaga County, N. Y. where he moved when Mother was young. Mother became an earnest Christian at the age of about 16 years and a more faithful and consistent Christian I have never known and I believe would be hard to find.

Her father being a prominent Deacon in the Presbyterian Church she was raised and continued in that belief until she had had all of her children sprinkled in her faith, as a duty she felt she owed to them as a part of their training, supposing it was a scriptural ordinance until she read a lecture of Dr. Wood to his class in the Theological School in which he tells them to "never try to prove sprinkling from the Bible for it is not there, but drawn from tradition for their proof, as it an ancient rite," etc. This gave her a great shock and she commenced afresh to do what she had taught all her children to do in all matters of conscience and duty. She searched the scriptures, comparing passage with passage, with earnest prayer for guidance, and became fully satisfied that Dr. Wood, her favorite divine, was correct. Meanwhile, learning from history that sprinkling was of Rome, she became a firm Baptist and was baptised with Father, Sister Clarissa and Bro. Joseph by Rev. J. I. Fulton in the spring of 1837 at Brooklyn.

Father and Mother had fair common education for their day. Mother's was best and she had the strongest mind of the two. She was rather dignified but was a woman of a buoyant spirit, and a deep vein of wit, in which she sometimes indulged greatly to the amusement, instruction and **real profit** of her family and friends.

She greatly enjoyed the pranks and sports of her children, even sometimes when it bordered on rollicking and undue sports, that might seem to threaten her authority, often remarking, that she "would rather have ten roughs to manage than one fool", that if her children knew something she had a foundation to build upon, etc. etc.

Father and Mother were united in the government of their family. If one began an act of discipline—of whatever nature—the other never interfered unless it was to render assistance in keeping all domestic laws "intact" and see that the penalty was visited out on one or more of the children who might have disobeyed in the least thing or set aside their authority. Thousands of parents have had more trouble with one boy or girl in two years than they ever had with their whole twelve.

Their word was **law**, and must be obeyed when spoken. If in any case, an order had to be repeated, something usually came with it that would always serve as a reminder in the future that aided to strengthen the memory of the offender. They were model parents in this regard, feeling they were acting under God, for the best interests of the children He had given them to raise up for Him.

Their love for us seemed to know no bounds, and yet they were never known to make pets or idols of any one of us or show the least partiality for any. None of us can think of the ease and grace with which they displayed their executive ability without a smile and perhaps a tear of gratitude that we were blessed with such models of consistency as they were. We shall—none of us—ever fail to "rise up and call them blessed."

They were very healthy, never having had any serious sickness until the last. Mother died Jan. 3, 1864, at Sister Clarissa's in Smyrna, Ionia County, Mich., and was buried in a grove with Father at Palo—Ionia County—but their remains were taken up and moved to Norvell, Jackson, Co., by their son-in-law, C. H. Randall, whom they loved so much in life, and they now lie in their own lot where they, when in life, wished to be buried, among many of the pioneers of that section of the country.

A few things about the family are worthy of mention. All were quite healthy and there was but one lingering sickness in the family up to this time. The eldest, Sophia, died after some two years of feebleness, of partial heart disease, caused by the untimely death of her son John, a bright and interesting boy of 14 years. All were industrious, truthful, virtuous in more than one or two ways.

All were temperate and are still. All were baptised, rather sprinkled in infancy, or early childhood, and all became Baptists and most of them useful members in Baptist churches. We were taught to obey the Scriptures.

With few exceptions we have been where we could be useful in the cause of Christ and have improved the opportunity. All were singers, some good and some not so good, but we could make good music, on some of the old tunes Father used to train us on, such as Exhortation, Bridgewater, New Durham, Rusha, Judgment Anthem, Heavenly Vision, etc., etc.

We must all remember with pleasure the happiness our parents evinced with their children when those who lived away from home gathered in for a Christmas or Thanksgiving time together. I think we shall all agree that the order of the home had much to do with the pleasantness of these occasions. We were raised in a house of discipline. No child was ever allowed to plague another. If one got punished and another was seen to laugh at him, it was an occasion for another punishment that would be a prohibition to any more laughter in all the future. If father told one of us to go and do a chore and the word was turned on him "I don't want to", and his usual word came, "Go right along then" we needed nothing further to make us understand it and it was of no use to propose the name of any one else to perform the duty. Mother could be obeyed as promptly while her hands were in dough up to her wrists—for they

had to be there much of the time—as she could with a stick in her hand.

If at any time our noise became too much for the house, and the stamping of Mother's foot, or the words "be quiet children" failed to secure the order desired, an order of another kind would at once be issued that consigned the offender to a bench in the corner or some other place, where we could remain indefinitely, the begging for a commutation of the sentence would be of no avail whatever. If we complained of feeling sore, or tired, "and can't sit here hardly" the cool, yes, chilling response would come "well sit softly then," while she stitched away at her work and continued her meditation on last Sunday's sermon, or some other useful mental employment.

How well we must all remember—as we sat up and down the long table at dinner or supper, "keeping still when older ones talked" for that was the rule—hearing Father and Mother talk to each other—as tho they were alone—of the properties and improperties of children and young people. Little did we think it was all for our especial benefit, but I venture nothing, when I say, those were the most profitable lectures we ever listened to. The moulding effect they had on us, eternity alone will reveal. Father was my first teacher in moral science, and Mother my first and best professor in Theology. I have never yet had to modify any proposition or principle I learned from them in my youth, either in the abstract or the concrete. I have always succeeded when I followed their instructions, and failed when I disregarded them.

I will give an incident that will illustrate their family government. Father told me—at dinner time—I might spend the afternoon with Mr. Shaw's boys in the sugar bush, but when the sun got to a certain point—in the west—to start and find the cows, "for they would be eating leeks, etc., on the mountain and might be off a good ways." But, unfortunate boy that I was, I never thought of the cows until it was so near dark I dare not go, but went home with Mr. Shaw's children and remained until Clarissa came for me, way after dark. I had feared to go home, but now must go. Poor Sister cried all the way home, saying she didn't know what Father would do to me, neither did I, but I soon found myself in a chair in the corner, a self condemned culprit. Soon Father finished his supper, when the trial began. It was an open court—as all such cases were—the whole family were summoned to be present and witness the judication. No witnesses were needed as I pled guilty, with deep penitence, confessing the whole. I was ordered to the table to eat my supper. I begged to be excused as I did not feel like eating, but now came the hardest part of all, for Father ordered a nice bowl of mush and milk to be taken to me, and I commanded to eat it. Few men or women know how to punish a child by making them eat something good. Well, it was the first time I ever found bones in

mush and milk. It seemed to me every spoonful would choke me to death. There was sensation in the court of the family that night, and all were moved. No further punishment was threatened. Our parents forbore threatenings—but it was left to my choice, to have my whipping that night or in the morning. I said morning and so went to my little bed beside my loving sympathizing Brother J. G.—dear fellow—I must write his name with capitals—to roll and tumble in mental agony. No doubt my Father and Mother, too, heard me bemoaning my disobedience. Here the matter ended for I was punished enough and my Father knew even better than I did.

As to the bones I speak of—I don't believe I swallowed all of them, for if I did, why does my throat feel as tho some of them are there yet, and so choke me—as I write—that the tears will come in spite of my efforts to keep them back.

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An attempt has been made to keep a genealogical record of the descendants of the twelve children of Joseph and Cynthia Barrows Fish. In some cases this has been carried down to the seventh generation, but we are recording here only five. If anyone is interested in more than this he may secure such information as is available from the records of the Historian.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS

JOSEPH FISH, b. in Connecticut March 15, 1784; m. Dec. 11, 1806, Cynthia Barrows; d. June 3, 1862. CYNTHIA BARROWS, b. Addison County, Vermont, Nov. 10, 1785; d. Jan. 3, 1864. To this couple were born twelve children, six boys and six girls, as follows:

- I. SOPHIA FISH b. Nov. 26, 1807 at Otisco, Onondaga Co., N. Y.
m. Feb. 23, 1831, John M. Hunt; d. March 9, 1851 at York, Mich.
 1. John Sanford Hunt, b. Aug. 3, 1832; d. July 5, 1850 at Chicago, Ill.
 2. Jane Sophia Hunt, b. July 13, 1833; m. March 10, 1857, George W. Moore; d. Sept. 5, 1864.
 - (1) Arthur J. Moore, b. Jan. 16, 1858; m. Oct. 24, 1889, Martha J. Furness; d. Sept. 10, 1927.
 - (a) Felix L. Moore, b. Jan. 13, 1891.
 - (b) Edwina Furness Moore, b. Sept. 27, 1893; m. May 1929, Edgar Oliver Butler.
 - (aa) Eloise O. Butler, b. Jan. 11, 1932.
 - (bb) Grace Martha Butler, b. Jan. 7, 1934.
 - (cc) Wilbert John Butler, b. Sept. 15, 1939.
 - (c) Robert Furness Moore, b. April 9, 1895.
 - (d) Clarita Leigh Moore, b. June 10, 1897.
 - (e) Eloise Winifred Moore, b. April 11, 1901; m. Dec. 1931, Oliver Riggs.
 - (aa) Martha Jane Riggs, b. June 1, 1934.
 - (2) Addie Sophia Moore, b. March 18, 1860, at Ann Arbor, Mich.
m. 1st Nov. 6, 1879, Fred S. Anderson; m. 2nd July 25, 1902, Austin White Alvord; d. Feb. 10, 1938.
 - (a) Fleda Jane Anderson, b. July 3, 1880; m. Dec. 17, 1903, Leonard C. Wyman.
 - (aa) Margaret Lucile Wyman, b. Sept. 9, 1906; m. Charles J. Repath.
 - (b) Florence Benham Anderson, b. Aug. 6, 1882; m. July 11, 1903, Edward O. Cross.
 - (aa) Frederic S. Cross, b. March 18, 1904.
 - (bb) Elizabeth O. Cross, b. Sept. 22, 1905; m. Jan. 17, 1931, Donald M. Hobart.
 - (cc) Ruth Eliza Cross, b. Sept. 16, 1907; m. April 15, 1933, N. J. Thatcher Parker.
 - (dd) Walter B. Cross, b. July 8, 1910; d. Aug. 3, 1910.
 - (c) Pearl Estella Anderson, b. Aug. 24, 1884; m. Aug. 10, 1903, Andrew S. Arbury.
 - (aa) Anderson Arbury, b. Dec. 5, 1904; m. June 21, 1933, Dorothy Dow.
 - (bb) Howard S. Arbury, b. Aug. 28, 1906; m. March 13, 1929, Marie Duford.

- (cc) Jane Emily Arbury, b. Oct. 24, 1909; m. March 22, 1930, George William Hooker.
- (dd) Ned S. Arbury, b. March 20, 1913; m. Teddy R.
- (ee) Stephen Arbury, b. June 13, 1928.
- (d) George Lewis Anderson, b. Aug. 13, 1888; m. Dec. 23, 1908, Muriel Rossman.
- (e) Fred S. Anderson, b. July 12, 1893; d. June 5, 1899.
- 3. Narcena E. Hunt, b. March 30, 1843; m. Aug. 26, 1862, Walter Stannard; d. March 29, 1899.
- (1) Harvey Bert Stannard, b. Feb. 10, 1865; m. June 24, 1888, May Letitia Carleton; d. 1920.
- (a) Norma Louisa Stannard, b. May 31, 1891; m. Chas. Posey.
- (aa) Charles Posey, b.
- (bb) James Posey, b.
- (cc) Marian Posey, b.
- (b) Mildred L. Stannard, b. Oct. 14, 1896; m. 1st James Gerard; m. 2nd Lester Wilson.
- (aa) James Gerard, b.
- (bb) Janet Gerard, b.
- (2) John Carl Stannard, b. April 5, 1877; m. 1896, Nellie May Cope; d. 1940.
- (a) Walter Dean Stannard, b. Jan. 20, 1902; m. Nov. 1930, Virginia Dalrymple Pierce.

- II. CHARLES FISH b. Jan. 7, 1809; m. 1st Feb. 16, 1830, Lorinda Bliss; m. 2nd April, 1849, Mary Moore; d. June 5, 1896 at Brooklyn, Mich.
- 1. Martha L. Fish, b. Dec. 27, 1830; m. Feb. 28, 1852, Earl Eggleston; d. Jan. 22, 1912.
 - (1) Albert Eggleston, b. July 6, 1853; m. Feb. 17, 1881, Alta Dunn; d. May 28, 1932.
 - (a) Murl A. Eggleston, b. Aug. 23, 1893; m. June 10, 1914, John Freyermuth.
 - (aa) Elgin Freyermuth, b. Jan. 28, 1916.
 - (b) Minnie J. Eggleston, b. March 3, 1897; m. March 12, 1914, Leroy Halderman.
 - (aa) Ina Halderman, b. June 5, 1919; m. Aug. 11, 1940, Lyle Walker.
 - (2) Mary Eggleston, b. June 7, 1856; m. Jan. 2, 1876, George Schuyler; d. March 4, 1937.
 - (3) Emily Eggleston, b. Jan. 3, 1858; m. Nov. 26, 1876, Arkwell Alderdyce; d. Jan. 20, 1905.
 - (a) Planche Alderdyce, b. Feb. 27, 1878; m. March 10, 1896, Vern Drake.
 - (aa) Harold Drake, b. Feb. 6, 1900; m. Irma Lawrence.

- (b) Lee Alderdyce, b. July 23, 1882; m. Nov. 7, 1904, Jennie Rookle.
 - (c) Lynn Alderdyce, b. June 1, 1894; m. Sept. 19, 1916, Gail Wells.
 - (αα) Duaine Wells Alderdyce, b. Sept. 12, 1920.
 - (bb) Wendell Stuart Alderdyce, b. May 25, 1922.
 - (4) Elsworth Eggleston, b. July 13, 1862; m. April 6, 1882, Lucy Johncox; d. May 16, 1934.
 - (α) Earl Eggleston, b. Jan. 6, 1897; m. Ruth Niles.
 - (αα) Wayne Elsworth Eggleston, b. June 15, 1924.
 - (5) Jennie Eggleston, b. Feb. 26, 1870; m. Dec. 31, 1889, Fred Smith.
2. Mary A. Fish, b. Aug. 21, 1832; m. Oct. 20, 1859, Clark Hoisington; d. May 13, 1905.
- (1) Alice Hoisington, b. Nov. 3, 1863; m. Ernest Frederick Albert Driesnack.
 - (α) Albert Driesnack, b.
 - (2) Clinton Hoisington, b. Dec. 4, 1871; m. Oct. 6, 1898, Ollie Smith; d. 1929.
 - (α) Helen Marian Hoisington, b. March 31, 1900; m. E. C. Hansell.
 - (b) Dorothy Hester Hoisington, b. April 18, 1902; m. G. W. Stiles.
3. Helen M. Fish, b. July 10, 1834; m. Jan. 30, 1853, Charles Moore; m. 2nd April 19, 1869, Morris Wells; d. March 6, 1883.
- By 1st union:
- (1) Mary E. Moore, b. Jan. 12, 1854; m. Nov. 12, 1890, Charles M. Webb.
 - (2) Etta L. Moore, b. March 22, 1857; m. Nov. 13, 1878, Frank F. Ambrose; d. Dec. 2, 1938.
 - (α) Zella D. Ambrose, b. June 20, 1880; m. June 27, 1906, Elmon J. Loveland.
 - (αα) Dorothy L. Loveland, b. Dec. 7, 1907; m. Sept. 25, 1926, Victor S. Gutchess.
 - (bb) Verna Agnes Loveland, b. May 6, 1909; m. June 26, 1931, Marshall Lee Berry.
 - (b) Vera L. Ambrose, b. Dec. 22, 1881; m. Aug. 6, 1907, Bert S. Gregg.
 - (αα) Ruth Helen Gregg, b. April 5, 1911.
 - (bb) William Ambrose Gregg, b. Oct. 23, 1912.
 - (cc) Frank Severance Gregg, b. Oct. 30, 1916.
 - (c) Mary Helen Ambrose, b. Oct. 5, 1883; d. Oct. 29, 1888.
- By 2nd union:
- (1) Nina M. Wells, b. Sept. 8, 1870; m. June 19, 1890, Ernest Hill; d. Aug. 8, 1916.

- (a) Lawrence A. Hill, b. Aug. 15, 1891; m. June 6, 1923, Edith Clark.
4. Lucy A. Fish, b. Aug. 19, 1836; m. Dec. 3, 1857, Serena Bassett; d. Aug. 6, 1904.
- (1) Emmet Clark Bassett, b. Sept. 28, 1858; m. June 20, 1883; Mary Roselle Case; d. March 16, 1937.
- (a) Vera May Bassett, b. Feb. 28, 1886; d. Dec. 27, 1886.
- (b) Ina Roselle Bassett, b. Nov. 18, 1887; d. March 31, 1910.
- (c) Raymond Emmet Bassett, b. Dec. 7, 1889; m. Aug. 14, 1913, Ruth Birdsall who d. Jan. 16, 1930; m. 2nd Aug. 18, 1932, Abigail Shay Ratliff; By 1st union:
- (aa) Jane B. Bassett, b. March 10, 1914.
- (bb) Alice G. Bassett, b. Feb. 14, 1918.
- (d) Lois Alethe Bassett, b. Jan. 23, 1894; m. Sept. 16, 1914, Glenn E. Mapes.
- (aa) Glenn E. Mapes, b. March 14, 1917; m. Sept. 1937, Ruth _____.
- (bb) Betty Jane Mapes, b. April 24, 1921.
- (2) Fred Buell Bassett, b. Sept. 4, 1860; m. March 15, 1882, Etta N. Gibbs; d. July 30, 1926.
- (a) Nellie May Bassett, b. Jan. 4, 1883; d. Dec. 10, 1883.
- (b) Iba Sereno Bassett, b. Jan. 2, 1886; m. June 22, 1910, Marjorie Doty Lawrence.
- (aa) Kenneth Iba Bassett, b. May 30, 1911; m. Aug. 12, 1936, Helen Alexander.
- (c) Essie Bell Bassett, b. Feb. 15, 1888; m. Aug. 20, 1908, Wilbert Henry Maxson.
- (aa) Frederick Orson Maxson, b. Nov. 27, 1909; m. July 2, 1931, Annis E. Brown.
- (bb) Emmet Luverne Maxson, b. Nov. 8, 1911; m. July 2, 1937, Lucile Meanard.
- (cc) Etta Belle Maxson, b. Dec. 15, 1915; m. March 15, 1936, Roland Butler.
- (dd) John Wilbert Maxson, b. May 14, 1917.
- (ee) Raymond Vincent Maxson, b. July 21, 1921.
- (d) Edna Lucile Bassett, b. May 15, 1892; m. Aug. 8, 1914, Charles A. Dickerson.
- (aa) George Dickerson, b. March 21, 1918.
- (e) John Alfred Bassett, b. March 28, 1895; m. Sept. 16, 1922, Evelyn Gates.
- (aa) Ellenor Margaret Bassett, b. April 29, 1927.
- (bb) Jaqueline Elaine Bassett, b. April 3, 1936.
- (f) Raymond Arthur Bassett, b. July 24, 1900; m. Aug. 25, 1920, Irene Paulson.
- (aa) Marilyn Joy Bassett, b. May 17, 1929.
- (bb) Joan Bassett, b. July 20, 1931.

- (3) Ira Bassett, b. Saline, Mich. d. (infant) April 9, 1862.
- (4) Frank Henry Bassett, b. Nov. 4, 1863; d. Jan. 17, 1893.
Mang; d. Aug. 11, 1938.
- (5) Charles Addison Bassett, b. July 18, 1865; m. 1908, Edna
(a) Clay A. Bassett, b. Dec. 2, 1908; m. Aug. 18, 1937, Rachel
Falconer.
 (aa) Carolyn Rae Bassett, b. April 4, 1940.
 (b) Lucy A. Bassett, b. Nov. 30, 1909.
 (c) Lucile A. Bassett, b. Nov. 30, 1909.
 (d) Reid A. Bassett, b. March 2, 1913.
- (6) Merritt Grant Bassett, b. July 28, 1868; m. April 2, 1891,
Nancy May Rice; d. Aug. 5, 1930.
 (a) Kittie Lavina Bassett, b. March 11, 1892.
 (b) Myrtie Irene Bassett, b. June 29, 1894.
 (c) Blanche Mildred Bassett, b. Oct. 20, 1897; m. Oct. 16,
 1917, Alva Eastman.
 (aa) Faythe Marie Eastman, b. Feb. 19, 1919.
 (bb) Ruth Miriam Eastman, b. Jan. 6, 1922.
 (cc) Rhea May Eastman, b. June ; d.
 (dd) John Alva Eastman, b. April, 1935.
 (ee) James Eastman, b.
 (d) Dorothy E. Bassett, b. Oct. 23, 1901; d. Feb. 23, 1905.
 (e) Earl Merritt Bassett, b. Aug. 5, 1904; d. Oct. 9, 1905.
 (f) Elden Leroy Bassett, b. April 17, 1907.
 (g) Paul Gardner Bassett, b. Nov. 27, 1910; m. Aug. 7, 1934,
 Ruth Wiess.
 (aa) Paul Merritt, b. May 28, 1935.
 (bb) Nancy Bassett, b.
 (cc) David Bassett, b.
- (7) Elmer Sereno Bassett, b. Nov. 29, 1872; m. June 27, 1914,
Mary Bendall; d. Dec. 21, 1922.
- 5. John B. Fish, b. June 28, 1838; m. 1st Sept 3, 1869, Amelia
Inman; m. 2nd May 13, 1882, Jennie Ketchum; By 1st union:
 (1) Warren B. Fish, b. Aug. 30, 1871; m. Jan. 9, 1895, Myrtle
 Shealer.
 (a) Sewell Fish, b. Jan. 7, 1897; m. March 9, 1922, Bernice
 A. Drake.
 (b) Carl W. Fish, b. Feb. 5, 1906; m. June 8, 1927, Opal Swift;
 (aa) Maurice Carl Fish, b. Feb. 11, 1929.
- (2) C. Irving Fish, b. Dec. 22, 1873; m. April 1, 1894, Kandus
Wilson.
 (a) Royman Fish, b. Feb. 13, 1895; m. June 17, 1914, Nellie
 Shoup.
 (aa) Kenneth Fish, b. Feb. 4, 1915; m. Aug. 18, 1934,
 Ann Loth.
 Rovman Fish m. 2nd April 12, 1920, Evola Miller.

- (aa) Royman, Junior, b. April 26, 1921.
- (bb) Edsel Ertell Fish, b. July 15, 1922.
- (cc) Phyliss, b. Aug. 13, 1923.
- (dd) Betty Jane Fish, b. July 4, 1928.
- (ee) Barbara Jean Fish, b. Aug. 16, 1929.
- (ff) Ernest Roland Fish, b. Aug. 19, 1930.
- (gg) Delbert Miller Fish, b. Nov. 27, 1931.
- (hh) Charles Ronald Fish, b. April 18, 1933.
- (ii) Donna Fish, b. March 29, 1936.
- (b) Ethel Fish, b. July 17, 1898; m. Jan. 12, 1914, Wesley Burnsworth.
 - (aa) Verna Burnsworth, b. May 15, 1914; m. Feb. 20, 1930, Ben Horrocks;
 - (bb) Wilnetta Burnsworth, b. Jan. 22, 1915; m. May 13, 1934, Richard Garrett.
 - (cc) Ruth Burnsworth, b. Dec. 28, 1916; m. Jan. 22, 1935, George Alden Fitzgerald.
 - (dd) June Burnsworth, b. June 8, 1921; d. May 7, 1927.
 - (ee) Raymon Burnsworth, b. Sept 24, 1922; d. July 30, 1927.
 - (ff) Jeanne Burnsworth, b. June 7, 1926.
 - (gg) Lorraine Burnsworth, b. May 8, 1927.
 - (hh) Jacqueline Burnsworth, b. Nov. 16, 1931.
 - (ii) Kay Burnsworth, b. Oct. 29, 1935.
- (3) Earnest I. Fish, b. Nov. 3, 1875; m. Oct. 19, 1899, Leura Reese; d.
- 6. Amanda Fish, b. May 24, 1840; m. Sept. 29, 1863, Leonard Bassett; d. May 25, 1913.
 - (1) Laverne Bassett, b. April 23, 1865; m. July 1, 1893, Arda Clark; d. Dec. 14, 1935.
 - (a) Clark L. Bassett, b. July 26, 1895; m. June 19, 1928, Gertrude Geer.
 - (aa) Thomas Geer Bassett, b. March 19, 1929.
 - (bb) Robert Laverne Bassett, b. March 19, 1931.
 - (cc) Clark Lodge Bassett, Jr. b. June 1, 1934.
 - (dd) Richard Hamilton Bassett, b. April 15, 1938.
 - (2) William Bassett, b. Oct. 2, 1870; m. Sept. 5, 1895, Clara Parke; d. July 31, 1921.
 - (a) Charles Arthur Bassett, b. May 3, 1897; m.
 - (aa) Charles Arthur Bassett, Jr. b.
 - (bb) Wade Bassett, b.
 - (cc) Mary Sharon Bassett, b. March 1935.
 - (b) Elwyn Parke Bassett, b. Sept. 28, 1901; m.
 - (aa) Judith Ann Bassett, b. March, 1939.
 - (c) Ruth Katherine Bassett, b. Jan. 17, 1903; d. May 3, 1938.

7. Joseph Henry Fish, b. Jan. 17, 1843; m. 1st Feb. 13, 1869, Sarah Cook; m. 2nd Nov. 3, 1880, Cynthia E. Fish. by 1st union:
 - (1) Mabel Fish, b. Nov. 16, 1869; m. April 30, 1908, Frank Peck; d. Aug. 13, 1937.
 - (α) Frances M. Peck, b. June 20, 1910; m. Sept. 21, 1929, Harold H. Hurley.
 - (αα) LaVerne Harvey Hurley, b. Aug. 8, 1931.
 - (bb) Gloria Mae Hurley, b. Aug. 23, 1933.
 - (2) Homer Fish, b. Oct. 12, 1872; m. 1st April 17, 1899, Amy Walworth; m. 2nd Aug. 5, 1923, Lelah E. Blythe.
 - (α) Eleanor Fish, b. Jan. 24, 1924.

CHARLES FISH by the 2nd union had:

1. Ira C. Fish, b. Oct. 26, 1850; m. June 25, 1873, Alice McKinney; d. May 30, 1922.
 - (1) Charles Fish, b. May 3, 1874; m. June 24, 1906, Leona Sutfinn.
 - (α) Vivian Fish, b. Feb. 17, 1907; m. April 27, 1929, John Rhinehart.
 - (b) Vernon, b. March 10, 1910; m. Mary ————— 1931.
m. 2nd —————.
 - (αα) Charles Fish, b.
 - (bb) LaVerne (dau.), b.
 - (c) Virgil Fish, b. Dec. 12, 1914; m. 1935, Irene Henderson.
- (2) Myra Fish, b. March 16, 1878; m. Feb. 12, 1902, Fred Green; d. Aug. 20, 1916.
- (3) Bernice Fish, b. Oct. 26, 1881; m. Aug. 1, 1901, Cassius Davison.
 - (α) Alice Davison, b. May 17, 1902; m. June 21, 1923, M. F. Richards.
 - (αα) Richard D. Richards, b. March 10, 1927.
 - (bb) Patricia L. Richards, b. Sept. 3, 1924.
 - (b) Norton Davison, b. Nov. 1, 1924.
- (4) Walter Fish, b. Aug. 10, 1884; m. Aug. 17, 1902, Lulu Weaver; d. July 24, 1939.
 - (α) Ira D. Fish, b. April 28, 1908; m. Aug. 3, 1937, Bernice Agne.
 - (αα) Charles Norton Fish, b. April 3, 1939.
 - (bb)
 - (b) Cassius M. Fish, b. Aug. 1, 1910.
- (5) Bessie Fish, b. July 9, 1889; m. Dec. 22, 1906, Fred Stockford. m. 2nd April 25, 1926, Chas. K. Rust.

By 1st union:

 - (α) Frances Stockford, b. Feb. 2, 1910; m. Clarence Roberts.
 - (αα) Bobbie Jean Roberts, b. Dec. 29, 1937.
 - (b) Leilah Stockford, b. May 22, 1911; m. Dec. 1, 1928, Frank Humphrey.

- (aa) Frederick H. Humphrey, b. July 8, 1929.
- (bb) Robert Humphrey, b. March 11, 1931.
- (cc) William Humphrey, b. June 20, 1932.
- (dd) Joseph Humphrey, b. March, 1935.
- (c) William Stockford, b. June 19, 1907; m. July 20, 1932, Eloise Stump.
- (aa) James Herald Stockford, b. July 18, 1933.
- (bb) Judith Ann Stockford, b. Feb. 24, 1935.
- (cc) Nancy Stockford, b. Aug. 31, 1937.
- (6) Frank Fish, b. July 27, 1891; d. June 20, 1916.
- (7) Marie Fish, b. March 29, 1894; d. April 3, 1906.

III. JERUSHA FISH, b. March 14, 1810; m. Sept. 17, 1835, Hiram Huntley; d. April 1, 1861.

1. G. Richard Huntley, b. Nov. 8, 1836; m. June 25, 1857, Margaret Thompson.
 - (1) Lloyd L. Huntley, b. Aug. 6, 1860.
 - (2) Flora Huntley, b. March 18, 1864; m. May 29, 1884, Frank Derrick.
 - (a) Frederick Derrick, b. Jan. 15, 1886.
 - (b) Bennie Derrick, b. Jan. 6, 1890.
 - (3) William Huntley, b. Jan. 25, 1868; m. May 22, 1894, Anna Welch.
 - (a) Rena Huntley, b. April 4, 1896.
2. Cynthia Huntley, b. Feb. 4, 1839; m. Jan. 26, 1859, John L. Stevenson.
 - (1) Henry Stevenson, b. Dec. 1, 1859.
 - (2) Floyd H. Stevenson, b. Jan. 23, 1868; m. Jan. 25, 1888, Mollie Priest.
 - (a) George Stevenson, b. Jan. 5, 1889.
 - (b) Della Blanche Stevenson, b. March 12, 1891.
 - (c) Edith Bernice Stevenson, b. May 20, 1895.
 - (3) Fred E. Stevenson, b. Sept. 8, 1870; m. Aug. 30, 1894, Rella E. Early.
 - (a) Gertrude Esther Early.
 - (4) Charles J. Stevenson, b. Feb. 5, 1874.
 - (5) Nellie May Belle Stevenson, b. May 8, 1876.

IV. WILLIAM B. FISH, b. May 26, 1812; m. Oct. 5, 1834, Harriet West; d. May 17, 1895 at Sand Spring, Iowa.

1. Loretta Fish, b. July 10, 1835; m. Sept. 15, 1857, Cyrus Barnes.
 - (1) Alson Barnes, b. Sept. 15, 1858; d. Nov. 15, 1864.
 - (2) Bertha Barnes, b. March 15, 1860; m. Jan. 7, 1886, Alfred W. Reinert.
 - (a) Robert Roy Reinert, b. Jan. 4, 1887; d. Nov. 15, 1892.

- (b) Alfred Ray Reinert, b. Feb. 14, 1890.
- (c) Ket Wm. Reinert, b. June 10, 1894; d. about 1906.
- (3) Elmer Barnes, b. Oct. 28, 1866; d. March 6, 1869.
- (4) George Barnes, b. Oct. 26, 1868; d. March 10, 1869.
- (5) Charles Barnes, b. May 22, 1871; m. July 26, 1893, Eleanor Beach.
- (a) Van Franklin Barnes, b. June 20, 1894; m. Sept. 3, 1918, Ruth Helen Horrum.
- (aa) Arthur Wilton Barnes, b. June 22, 1919.
- (6) William Barnes, b. Sept 28, 1873; d. Nov. 18, 1884.
- 2. Arminda Fish, b. April 27, 1837; m. June 11, 1855, Abram Alsever; d. April 22, 1877.
- (1) Pervilla Rosina Alsever, b. March 20, 1857; m. June 11, 1885, George D. Hart; d. Feb. 4, 1937.
- (a) Seth Norman Hart, b. Aug. 18, 1888; m.
- (aa) Norman Dwight Hart, b. ; m. May 21, 1932, Faye Taff.
- (bb) Rex Hart, b. 1917.
- (cc) Marjorie Hart, b. 1922.
- (2) Cora Berdetta Alsever, b. June 27, 1860; m. April 25, 1883; George Buzzard; d. Nov. 5, 1889.
- (a) Lulu Buzzard, b. Jan. 30, 1884.
- (b) Frederick Buzzard, b. Aug. 15, 1885.
- (3) Milton George Alsever, b. May 5, 1868; m. Nov. 14, 1889, Edith Goodyear.
- (a) Mildred Alsever, b. Sept. 11, 1890.
- (b) Maggie Alsever, b. Dec. 7, 1891.
- (4) Blanche May Alsever, b. Aug. 18, 1871.
- 3. Margretta Fish, b. June 27, 1840. m. John Cheeseborough; d. July, 1863.
- 4. George Mortimer Fish, b. Sept. 16, 1843; d. April 31, 1858.
- 5. Barton Fish, b. June 20, 1848; m. 1874, Victoria Shidler; (later Mrs. Wm. Rigby); d. July 3, 1891.
- (1) Claude Fish, b. March 9, 1876 or 1877; m. Aug. 9, 1921, Florence Burnett; d. July 6, 1929.
- (2) Guy Fish, b. April 29, 1878; m. ; d. Dec. 12, 1936.
- (a) Raymond G. Fish, b. June 2, 1909; m. April 21, 1938,
- (aa) Guy Raymond Fish, b. March 13, 1939.
- (3) George W. Fish, b. Nov. 7, 1880.
- (4) Donald B. Fish, b. Aug. 7, 1883; m.
- (a) Kathryn, b. m. Kinnison P. Firth;
- (aa) Geraldine Mae Firth, b.
- (b) Mildred, b.
- (c) Barton, b.

(d) Donald, b.

(5) Katherine E. Fish, b.

WILLIAM B. FISH, m. 2nd Sarah ———.

V. GEORGE B. FISH, b. Nov. 13, 1813 at Marcellus, N. Y. m. March 18, 1840 Orvilla Isham; d. March 10, 1885 at Amboy, N. Y.

1. Helen L. Fish, b. Nov. 12, 1840; m. Feb. 26, 1861, Homer Peck; d. March 10, 1894.

(1) George Peck, b. Sept. 3, 1866; m. June 30, 1894, Celia Huddleston.

(a) Homer David Peck, b. April 19, 1897.

(b) Stanley G. Peck, b. Oct. 23, 1899.

(2) Frank H. Peck, b. Feb. 24, 1870; m. April 30, 1908, Mabel S. Fish, who d. Aug. 13, 1937.

(a) Frances Mabelle Peck, b. June 20, 1910; m. Sept. 21, 1929, Harold H. Hurley.

(aa) LaVerne Harvey Hurley, b. Aug. 8, 1931.

(bb) Gloria May Hurley, b. Aug. 23, 1933.

2. Agnes I. Fish, b. Feb. 14, 1842; m. Feb. 5, 1873, Thomas H. Shoens; d. Aug. 8, 1896.

(1) George Shoens, b. Feb. 11, 1876; d. 1936.

3. George B. Fish, b. Jan. 13, 1844; d. May 2, 1874 at Amboy, N. Y.

4. Cynthia E. Fish, b. July 5, 1845; m. Nov. 3, 1880, J. Henry Fish; d. Jan. 20, 1923.

5. Francis M. Fish, b. April 11, 1847; m. Feb. 16, 1869, Mary A. Peck.

(1) Jessie May Fish, b. May 8, 1871; m. Oct. 8, 1895, Albert Kessler; d. 1935.

(a) Lorna Kessler, b. Dec. 3, 1898.

(b) Donald Francis Kessler, b. April 2, 1904; d.

(2) Charles A. Fish, b. Oct. 30, 1874; m. Dec. 19, 1894, Jennie A. Birney; d.

(a) Merrill Birney Fish, b. Aug. 17, 1895.

(b) Melvin Lagrange Fish, b. Nov. 23, 1896.

(c) Charles Sheldon Fish, b. Oct. 12, 1902.

(d) George Bradley Fish, b. Sept. 8, 1904.

6. Wallace Fish, b. Dec. 28, 1850; d. Dec. 20, 1851.

7. Wallace Adelbert Fish, b. March 3, 1852; m. Aug. 1, 1877, Anna Wheaton.

(1) Homer A. Fish, b. Sept. 15, 1878.

(2) Clara I. Fish, b. April 5, 1880.

(3) Anna Laura Fish, b. Oct. 20, 1882; m. Lew Emerson.

(4) Agnes Cornelia Fish, b. Dec. 25, 1885.

VI. AUSTIN S. FISH, b. Aug. 26, 1815; m. 1st Jan. 31, 1838, Content Parks; m. 2nd Nov. 28, 1854, Caroline Saxton; m. 3rd Oct. 10, 1866, Caroline Inman; d. Oct. 22, 1888 at Sandstone, Mich.

By 1st union.

1. George W. Fish, b. April 15, 1840; d. July 27, 1866.
2. Edwin W. Fish, b. July 15, 1842; d. June 29, 1862 at Savage, Va.
3. Laura O. Fish, b. Dec. 15, 1845; d. March 4, 1846.
4. Charles H. Fish, b. Oct. 13, 1848; m. Aug. 2, 1872, Anna Williams; d. March 14, 1923.

(1) G. Edwin Fish, b. April 3, 1874; d. Sept. 25, 1893.

(2) John E. Fish, b. Sept. 2, 1875; m. Nov. 20, 1907, Mary Paul.

(a) Anna Fish, b. Oct. 8, 1908; m. Sept. 17, 1934, Leo Kavanaugh.

(b) Charles R. Fish, b. June 7, 1911; m. July 2, 1934, Helen M. Bross.

(aa) Nancy Joe Fish, b. Dec. 28, 1935.

(bb) Michael Fish, b. March 17, 1937.

(c) Harry Fish, b. June 26, 1916; m. Nov. 5, 1937, Betty Gazley.

(aa) Charles David Fish, b. Aug. 9, 1940.

(3) Ida Fish, b. Dec. 28, 1884; m. Oct. 18, 1911, Augustus A. Paul.

(a) Robert Paul, b. Oct. 12, 1912.

(b) Edward Paul, b. May 5, 1916; m. May 7, 1938, Lilliam Zalner.

(aa) a son d. Nov. 13, 1938.

By 2nd union:

1. Mary Fish, b. March 15, 185-; d. June 16, 1916.

2. William Fish, b. June 17, 185-; d. Feb. 20, 189-, m. March 10, 1881, Estella Verity.

(1) Josephine E. Fish, b. Nov. 27, 1882; m. Aug. 3, 1909, Frank I. Bowman.

(a) Florence E. Bowman, b. Sept. 20, 1913; m. Aug. 9, 1940, Lewis Mosher.

(b) Everett R. Bowman, b. Aug. 8, 1915.

(c) Ellen B. Bowman, b. March 27, 1917.

(d) Stanley E. Powman, b. March 5, 1919.

(e) Winifred J. Bowman, b. March 26, 1921.

(f) Ernest P. Powman, b. Nov. 25, 1924.

(2) Jessie Maria Fish, b. Oct. 1, 1884; m. April 1906, Roy Hiscock.

(a) Maurice Hiscock, b. Aug. 17, 1907; m.

(aa) James Maurice, b.

(bb) Elaine Marie, b.

(b) Leon Hiscock, b. Sept. 15, 1909; m.

(aa) Robert Melvin Hiscock, b.

(bb) Shirley Ann Hiscock, b.

- (cc) Dorothy Mae Hiscock, b.
- (c) Richard Hiscock, b. Oct. 12, 1911; m.
 - (aa) Marilyn Jean Hiscock, b.
 - (bb) Richard Allen Hiscock, b.
- (d) William Hiscock, b. ; m.
 - (aa) Ronald Hiscock, b. d.
- (e) Harold Hiscock, b. Feb. 5, 1918.
- (f) Mary Louise Hiscock, b. Feb. 5, 1918.
- (g) Harold Freeman Hiscock, b.
- (h) Carl Verity Hiscock, b.
- (i) Lois Estelle Hiscock, b. Dec. 25, 1921.
- (3) Bertha May Fish, b. Oct. 7, 1886; m. Feb. 1904, Freeman M. Hussey.
- (4) Clara Louise Fish, b. July 20, 1888; m. Oscar Stubbs; d. Aug. 1928.
- (5) Mary Ellen Fish, b. May 20, 1890; m. Sept. 1912, Carl Buck; d. Jan. 20, 1918.
 - (a) Donald Buck, b. July 5, 1913; m.
 - (b) Kenneth M. Buck, b. May 22, 1915.
- (6) Austin V. Fish, b. Nov. 18, 1892; d. Nov. 23, 1893.
- (7) Mortimer Fish, b. Feb. 11, 1895; m. May 27, 1923, Mary Laker.
 - (a) Barbara Lee Fish, b. April 5, 1924.
 - (b) Charles William Fish, b. Dec. 27, 1925.
 - (c) Austin David Fish, b. Aug. 16, 1930.
- 3. Mortimer Fish, b. March 31, 1856; m. June 15, 1885, Laura H. Everett; d. May 26, 1919.
 - (1) Ethel Mildred Fish, b. April 28, 1886; m. Aug. 22, 1910, George Clink.
 - (a) Donald Clink, b. June 1, 1914.
 - (2) Annie Belle Fish, b. June 18, 1889; m. June 21, 1912, Karl Stone; m. 2nd Aug. 22, 1926, A. J. Riley.
 - (3) Bessie Bonsil Fish, b. Feb. 26, 1892; m. Feb. 26, 1913, Earnest Gage Stone; d. April, 1939.
 - (a) Richard Stone, b. Nov. 1915.
 - (b) Geraldine Stone, b. 1917.
 - (c) Ethel Stone, b. ; d.
 - (d) Viola Stone, b.
 - (e) Rosemary Stone, b. 1924.
- 4. Clara Fish, b. Aug. 27, 1858; m. Jan. 7, 1885, Thomas Wheaton.
 - (1) Stella Wheaton, b. June 4, 1891; m. June 10, 1912, Colon J. Grant.
 - (a) Marie Grant, b. June 22, 1918; m. Feb. 3, 1940, Edwin S. Van Valkenburg.

(2) Austin Wheaton, b. Oct. 1893; m. March 21, 1923, Hazel Loocker.

By the 3rd union:

1. Everett C. Fish, b. Feb. 25, 1871; m. June 5, 1902, Jennie R. Hinshaw who d. March 29, 1932; m. 2nd Jan. 2, 1933, Mabel A. Odell.

VII. CLARISSA D. FISH, b. Nov. 3, 1817; m. Jan. 20, 1842, Charles H. Randall; d. Jan. 25, 1892 at Clinton, Mich.

1. Cleanthia Jane Randall, b. Oct. 27, 1842; m. June 22, 1875, George Calhoun; d. May 9, 1907.

(1) Henry C. Calhoun, b. May 31, 1876; m. Sept. 1, 1904, Maud H. Struble.

(a) Gerald A. Calhoun, b. Jan. 22, 1906; m. Myrtle Richardson.

(aa) dau. b. 1935.

(b) Dorothy, b. July 6, 1909; m. June 24, 1934, Joseph Butts.

(c) Henry J. Calhoun, b. Dec. 15, 1912 or 1913.

(2) George R. Calhoun, b. Aug. 12, 1878; d. March 11, 1879.

(3) John C. Calhoun, b. May 22, 1881; m. Feb. 9, 1910, Millie Terry.

(a) Mary A. Calhoun, b. Oct. 3, 1911; d. Jan. 17, 1912.

(b) Harold Calhoun, b.

(4) Ruth Calhoun, b. Dec. 18, 1886; d. July 31, 1910.

2. Carrie L. Randall, b. Oct. 22, 1854; m. Dec. 25, 1876, Carlos P. Holmes; d. Nov. 24, 1902.

(1) Elma P. Holmes, b. Oct. 8, 1878

(2) Anna May Holmes, b. June 16, 1884; d. May 11, 1885.

(3) Frank R. Holmes, b. Sept. 17, 1886; m. Jan. 1, 1912, Blanche L. Knickerbocker.

(a) Helen M. Holmes, b. Oct. 14, 1922.

(4) Bryant L. Holmes, b. June 6, 1891; m. Sept. 11, 1924, Dorothy Moore.

(a) Eleanor F. Holmes, b. June 22, 1925.

(b) Betty May Holmes, b. Oct. 8, 1926.

VIII. SARAH FISH, b. Oct. 13, 1819; m. Nov. 13, 1839, Sylvanus B. Palmer; d. July 30, 1894 at Norvell, Mich.

1. Martin A. Palmer, b. Oct. 5, 1841; d. May 6, 1843.

2. Harmon S. Palmer, b. March 9, 1843; m. Feb. 9, 1870, Nellie Colgrove; d. March, 1931.

(1) Floyd Palmer, b. April 24, 1875; m. May —; d. about 1935.

(a) Julian Palmer, b.

(2) Clyde Palmer, b. Nov. 7, 1880.

3. Marian E. Palmer, b. Nov. 19, 1845; m. Feb. 22, 1869, Freeman Schofield; d. April 13, 1895.
 - (1) Howard F. Schofield, b. Aug. 15, 1870; m. Sept. 15, 1897, Sadie Fay; d. Jan. 1, 1930.
 - (a) Fay Schofield, b. July 31, 1902.
 - (b) Marian E. Schofield, b. Aug. 27, 1900; m. Dec. 18, 1925, Lyman Page.
 - (aa) Cornelia Jean Page, b. Nov. 2, 1926.
 - (bb) Cynthia Elizabeth Page, b. Jan. 9, 1930.
 - (c) Freeman Schofield, b. Sept. 18, 1913.
4. Laura Jane Palmer, b. Sept. 25, 1847; m. Nov. 1, 1868, Joshua Palmer; d. Nov. 2, 1916.
 - (1) Harry Palmer, b. Nov. 19, 1870; d. Dec. 31, 1870.
 - (2) Alice May Palmer, b. Dec. 2, 1874; m. July 2, 1896, Dr. G. L. Laraway; d. July 6, 1937.
 - (3) Bertha M. Palmer, b. April 30, 1877; m. April 29, 1913, David Wm. Oakes.
5. Albert E. Palmer, b. Dec. 25, 1851; m. Dec. 20, 1875, Lydia Shnable; d. March 19, 1916.
 - (1) Parker G. Palmer, b. Jan. 13, 1879; m. Nov. 21, 1899, Kathryn McCarty; d. Sept. 2, 1934.
 - (a) Agnes Alberta Palmer, b. Sept. 9, 1905.
 - (2) Homer A. Palmer, b. Oct. 10, 1880; m. Feb. 18, 1903, Ethel Aten.
 - (a) Herbert John Palmer, b. Oct. 16, 1907; m. June, 1931, Ruth Nelson.
 - (b) Albert Eugene Palmer, b. Oct. 23, 1916; m. Dec. 17, 1938, Juanita Rives.
 - (3) Bessie R. Palmer, b. Sept. 15, 1883; m. Oct. 16, 1921, A. R. Hubbell; d. Feb. 27, 1936.
 - (a) Erwin Max Hubbell, b. Sept. 26, 1928; d. March 11, 1929.
 - (4) Harry B. Palmer, b. Aug. 13, 1885; m. Feb. 28, 1906, Agnes Adams.
 - (a) Richard Eugene Palmer, b. Jan. 28, 1907; m. Jan. 1, 1930, Katherine Nesbitt.
 - (b) Harold Frederick, b. July 28, 1908; m. June 18, 1933, Eleanor Parker.
 - (aa) Thomas O. Palmer, b. June 16, 1934.
6. Alice I. Palmer, b. Dec. 25, 1851; m. Sept. 21, 1871, George B. Rhead; d. March 13, 1894.
 - (1) Gracia Rhead, b. Dec. 14, 1875; m. Aug. 22, 1899, Ralph Collamore. who d. Nov. 22, 1935.
 - (a) Alice Collamore, b. May 24, 1900; m. Gerald F. Denyes, March 21, 1929.
7. Annie M. Palmer, b. Dec. 22, 1861; m. Nov. 7, 1901, Charles W. Jewett; d. July 8, 1926.

- (1) Elwin S. Jewett, b. Oct. 19, 1902; m. Nov. 2, 1923, Marie Hull.
(a) Robert E. Jewett, b. Feb. 1934.
- (2) Irwin H. Jewett, b. March 8, 1907; m. Marjorie Stewart.
(a) William Lee Jewett, b. June 6, 1936.

IX. JOSEPH GRANT FISH, b. May 23, 1821; m. 1st Dec. 25, 1850, Mary Brockway; m. 2nd May 1866, Sarah A. Smith; d. Jan. 31, 1899, at Binghampton, N. Y. By 1st union:

1. Clara M. Fish, b. April 26, 1854; m. 1st May 7, 1873, Charles R. Ellis; m. 2nd Nov. 5, 1911, James E. Dodge.
(1) Clarence G. Ellis, b. March 12, 1874; d. Jan. 1, 1892.
(2) Charles R. Ellis, b. Jan. 2, 1879; m. Aug. 23, 1908, Minnie Logan.
(a) Clarence V. Ellis, b. Aug. 7, 1911.

2. Charles M. Fish, b. Dec. 16, 1857; m. April 19, 1881, Agnes Church.

3. Edron C. Fish, b. May 4, 1863.

By 2nd union:

1. Josephine B. Fish, b. July 4, 1867; m. Jan. 1888, Wm. H. Cooper.
(1) Phylis J. Cooper, b. March 29, 1890.

X. LEMUEL B. FISH, b. March 31, 1823; m. 1st Sept. 24, 1844, Jane Sayles; m. 2nd July 22, 1853, Nancy Henderson; d. Sept. 16, 1891. By 1st union:

1. Viola Fish, b. Oct. 10, 1846; d. Sept. 28, 1847.
2. Cora Fish, b. Sept. 16, 1848; m. May 11, 1871, Richard Haigh; d. March 9, 1925.
(1) Charles Haigh, b. June 26, 1872; m. Oct. 5, 1903, Elizabeth Thomas; d. July 23, 1929.
(2) Lucy Haigh, b. May 10, 1873; d. Aug. 8, 1874.
(3) Elizabeth Haigh, b. Sept. 12, 1875; m. Sept. 12, 1907, Arthur E. Clark; d. Sept. 22, 1936.
(a) Cynthia A. Clark, b. Aug. 26, 1908; m. June 27, 1931, Bryson J. Reynolds; m. 2nd May 3, 1939, Rev. Theodore Wedell.
(b) William H. Clark, b. Nov. 9, 1909; m.
(c) Isabel Clark, b. June 23, 1911; m. March 4, 1932; Harold J. Beeson.
(aa) William Edward Beeson, b. May 12, 1933.
(bb) Cynthia Ann Beeson, b. Feb. 8, 1939.
(d) Coralyn Clark, b. June 23, 1911; m. Oct. 1935, Edgar Faga.
- (4) Paul Haigh, b. Feb. 4, 1879; m. April 3, 1903, Gertrude Kinyon.
(a) Florence Haigh, b. Aug. 23, 1909; m. Dec. 8, 1933, Roger R. Richard.

- (aa) Carol Jean Richard, b. March 1, 1937.
- (bb) Elizabeth Ann Richard, b. May, 1939.
- (b) Mary Louise Haigh, b. Feb. 6, 1914, m. March 5, 1935, Harold Willis Sherman.
- (aa) Jerome Richard Sherman, b. Sept. 25, 1935.
- (bb) Mary Jean Sherman, b. April 21, 1938.
- (c) Olive L. Haigh, b. July 5, 1915.

By 2nd union:

- 1. Jennie Fish, b. April 27, 1854; d. Oct. 13, 1925.

XI. CYNTHIA FISH, b. May 13, 1825; m. May 3, 1848, Addison Hunt; d. May, 1914.

- 1. Frank Mortimer Hunt, b. Feb. 16, 1849; m. Jan. 29, 1877, Clara Church; d. Aug. 12, 1930.

- (1) Clara J. Hunt, b. Jan. 29, 1879; m. April 30, 1901, George Smallwood; m. 2nd Nov. 7, 1926, Charles LeRoy Ritchie.

By 1st union:

- (a) Mortimer George Smallwood, b. April 16, 1906; m. Oct. 19, 1930, Ruth Richardson. (Divorced)

- (b) Ruth Veola Smallwood, b. Oct. 26, 1908; m. July 4, 1932, Emil Kardos.

- (aa) Alfred Emil Kardos, b. Sept. 27, 1936.

- (bb) Karen Ronaele Kardos, b. May 10, 1938.

- (2) Paul H. Hunt, b. Jan. 10, 1883; m. July 25, 1922, Ann Grove.

- (a) Doris Hilgren Hunt, b. Jan. 7, 1914.

- (b) Robert Alfred Hunt, b. Jan. 18, 1916.

(These two children were adopted by Paul Hunt after his marriage to Ann Grove).

- 2. Viola Sophia Hunt, b. July 1, 1851; m. April 3, 1872, Willard B. Bancroft; d. March 16, 1900.

- (1) Elmer Baxter Bancroft, b. May 25, 1874; m. Dec. 6, 1906, Emma Klavitter; d. Sept. 1919.

- (2) Meta Alice Bancroft, b. May 27, 1876; m. 1st Aug. 26, 1905, Escaville Patterson; m. 2nd Jan. 24, 1925, Samuel Gessinger.

- (3) Mary Ethel Pancroft, b. Feb. 4, 1880; m. Jan. 15, 1913, Ralph T. Ream.

- (a) Ethel Louise Ream, b. Jan. 24, 1914; m. July 31, 1937, Jack Morrison.

- (aa) Janet Diane Morrison, b. July 9, 1940.

- (b) Florence Inez Ream, b. Feb. 15, 1916; m. Jan. 2, 1941, Harold B. Lenz.

- (4) Florence May Bancroft, b. Jan. 9, 1882.

- (5) Kittie Marian Bancroft, b. Aug. 14, 1883; d. May 4, 1901.

- (6) Walter Hunt Bancroft, b. Feb. 5, 1885; m. Sept. 16, 1905, Katherine Damm.

- (a) Eleanore Viola Bancroft, b. Oct. 7, 1907; m. Feb. 28, 1931, Torrey T. Stuhlmann.
- (b) Robert Hunt Bancroft, b. Feb. 7, 1920.
- (7) Harry Willard Bancroft, b. Sept. 15, 1886; m. Dec. 20, 1905, Marie Phillips; d. Sept. 16, 1938.
- (8) Emmet Floyd Bancroft, b. Nov. 14, 1891; d. Oct. 25, 1909.
- 3. Laura Jane Hunt, b. Aug. 19, 1853; m. Aug. 19, 1870, Edgar J. Hess; d. Aug. 14, 1908.
- (1) Viola Belle Hess, b. Aug. 10, 1871; m. July 24, 1899, Dr. George W. Clarke; d. Feb. 15, 1932.
- (a) Alice M. Clark, b. May 6, 1901; m. Jan. 2, 1923, Ralph Thomas.
- (aa) Phyllis Thomas, b. Feb. 22, 1926.
- (bb) Mack Clarke Thomas, b. April 12, 1930.
- (b) Charles E. Clarke, b. Feb. 26, 1903; m. June 11, 1927, Jean Dunn.
- (aa) Robert Warren Clarke, b. Sept. 3, 1931.
- (2) Frank Hugh Hess, b. Dec. 8, 1872; m. 1st July 7, 1894, Georgia B. Hawes; m. 2nd Aug. 25, 1897, Rose Cranston; m. 3rd Rae Anthony; d. Nov. 25, 1925.
- By 2nd union:
- (a) Dorothy Margaret Hess, b. Jan. 29, 1898; m. Sept. 4, 1919, Kenhelm W. Stott.
- (aa) Kenhelm W. Stott, Jr., b. Sept. 27, 1920.
- By 3rd union:
- (b) Laura Jane Hess, b.
- (3) Maud E. Hess, b. Jan. 6, 1876; m. Oct. 6, 1900, Wesley J. Davis.
- (a) Harold Davis, b. March 1, 1902; m. July 23, 1928, Mabel Wightman.
- (b) Margaret Laura Hess, b. April 2, 1906; m. June 14, 1930, Dr. A. Garrard Macleod.
- (aa) Garrard Davis Macleod, b. Aug. 28, 1934.
- (bb) Robert Malcolm Macleod, b. Dec. 7, 1935.
- (cc) David Cameron Macleod, b. Feb. 26, 1937.
- (dd) George Wilson Macleod, b. March 31, 1938.
- (c) Robert L. Davis, b. Feb. 13, 1908; m. Feb. 18, 1933, Charlotte Allred.
- (aa) Theodore Robert Davis, b. Dec. 24, 1936.
- (d) Homer Davis, b. Oct. 27, 1913.
- (4) Cora Elvira Hess, b. Nov. 7, 1877; m. Sept. 29, 1906, Charles E. Chestnut; d. Sept. 30, 1934.
- (a) Helen M. Chestnut, b. Sept. 4, 1907; m. July 29, 1932, Paul L. Shelton.
- (aa) Ann Marie Shelton, b. July 6, 1934.
- (bb) Paul Lescher Shelton, Jr., b. May 10, 1938.

- (b) Charles E. Chestnut, b. April 20, 1911; m. Oct. 3, 1931, Grace Elma Myers.
 - (aa) Betty Ann Chestnut, b. Aug. 6, 1933.
 - (bb) Ned Chestnut, b. Aug. 23, 1937.
 - (c) Robert Edgar Chestnut, b. March 15, 1913.
 - (d) Howard Roland Chestnut, b. Feb. 5, 1916.
 - (e) John Douglas Chestnut, b. April 6, 1918.
 - 4. Byron F. Hunt, b. June 24, 1855; d. June 26, 1856.
 - 5. Mary A. Hunt, b. March 30, 1857; m. Jan. 27, 1881, George Homer Bancroft; d. Nov. 1913.
 - (1) George Homer Bancroft, b. April 4, 1888; m. 1916, Alice Pitkin.
 - (a) George Homer Bancroft, b. Oct. 9, 1917; m. Aug. 6, 1940, Jean Gibson.
 - (b) Kate Pitkin Bancroft, b. Dec. 10, 1924.
 - (c) Charles Yarrington Bancroft, b. Aug. 26, 1932.
 - (2) Mary Alice Bancroft, b. Sept. 21, 1889.
 - (3) Fannie Bancroft, b. 1896; d. 1897.
 - 6. Stella A. Hunt, b. Nov. 14, 1860; d. March 28, 1901.
 - 7. Fannie M. Hunt, b. Nov. 9, 1865; m. Dec. 1888, Edwin L. Stevenson; d. Sept. 19, 1895.
 - (1) Edwin Lewis Stevenson, b. Sept. 20, 1889; m. 1914; d. Feb. 8, 1918.
 - (a) Raymond Edwin Stevenson, b. 1917.
 - (2) Robert Stevenson, b. Jan. 10, 1891; m. April 21, 1915, Ann Fable.
 - (a) Ruth Elizabeth Stevenson, b. Jan. 27, 1916.
 - (b) Robert Henry Stevenson, Jr., b. Dec. 27, 1917.
 - 8. Elmer C. Hunt, b. Sept. 24, 1867; d. Jan. 13, 1870.
- XII. LAURA J. FISH, b. March 28, 1827; m. March 8, 1848, John S. Hunt; d. Sept. 4, 1908.
- 1. Fannie M. Hunt, b. Jan. 30, 1849; m. March 11, 1868, John Northway; d. Oct. 14, 1909.
 - 2. George W. Hunt, b. Jan. 4, 1854; m. d; Dec. 25, 1903.

OUR REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR

An effort was made several years ago to verify the information which we had regarding Captain Lemuel Barrows, the father of Cynthia Barrows Fish, and his military record in the Revolution. After much searching of records and correspondence, the following facts were secured by Laverne Bassett and transmitted by him in a letter to Everett Fish. Most of this letter is here quoted:

"Detroit, Mich.
Oct. 14, 1932

Mr. Everett H. Fish
Napoleon, Michigan
Dear Everett:

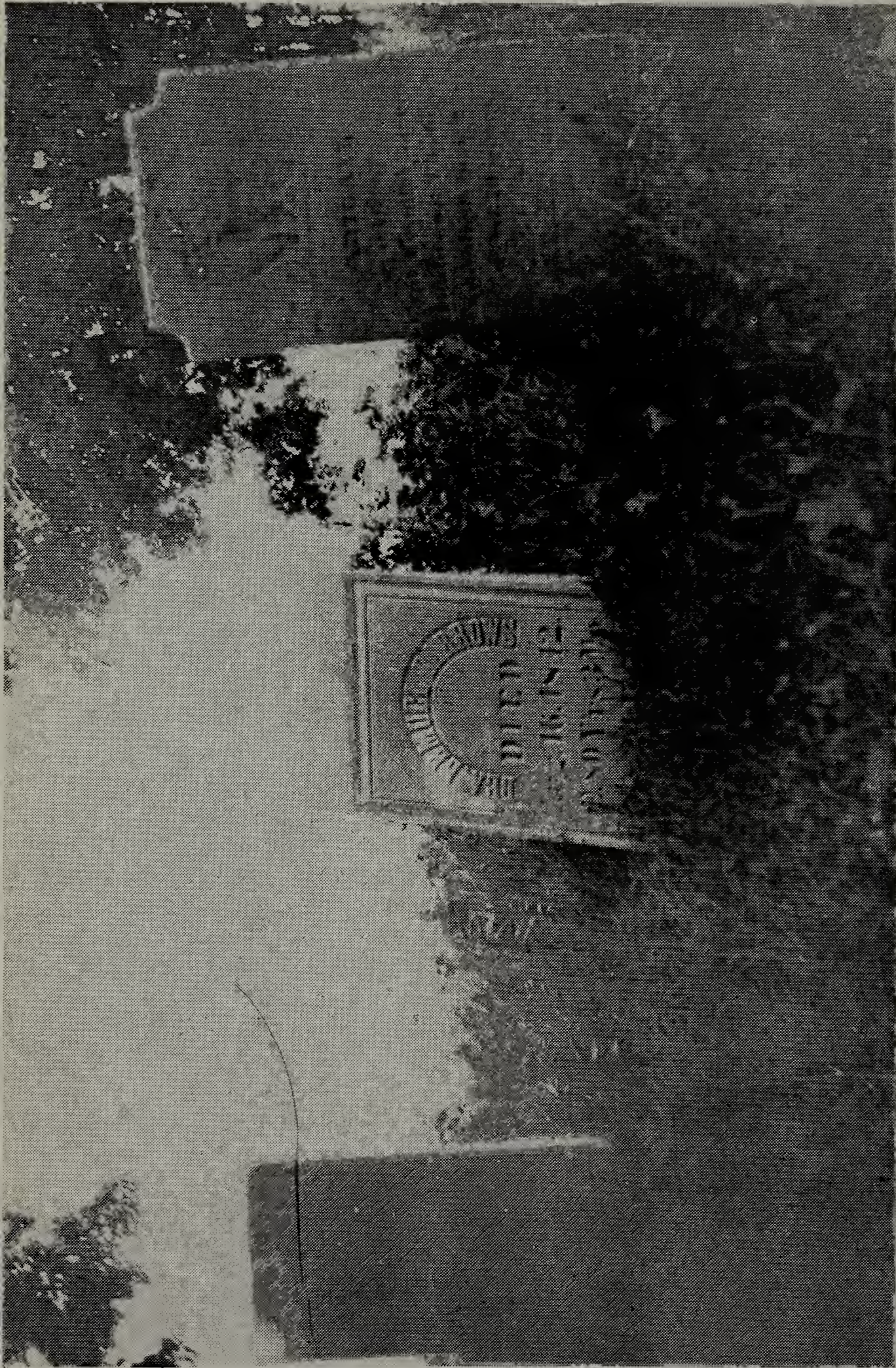
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In my search as to the wives of Lemuel Barrows, my information indicated that Lemuel Barrows died in Marcellus, Onondaga County, New York. I supposed this meant the village of Marcellus and I drove to this village and hunted the cemetery through, but found nothing to indicate the burial of Lemuel Barrows there. I called on the Village Clerk to ascertain if he had any records but did not find him in. Fortunately for me, a boy in the store told me to go to see a Mrs. Chapman who lived near the cemetery, saying she was an old resident of Onondaga County and knew a great many facts about all the old families. I called on this lady and had a peculiar experience.

A middle aged woman came to the door and invited us in, and I told her I had come to investigate some of my ancestors. She stated she was not Mrs. Chapman but we could see Mrs. Chapman in a few minutes, but she immediately asked me this question: 'Your ancestry does not have anything to do with Lemuel Barrows does it?' I told her it did. She then told me that she was the historian of the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and was just commencing to try to ascertain facts in regard to Lemuel Barrows. She said her husband was a grandson of Ezekiel Baker, Jr. and that there was some relationship between Ezekiel Baker, Jr. and Lemuel Barrows.

I remembered then that in looking over the records in the Onondaga Historical Association in Syracuse the day before, I found this memorandum: 'Lemuel Barrows, this pensioner, was 78 in 1840 and lived with Ezekiel Baker, Jr. In Connecticut rolls he was of Killingly and in 1780 served in Captain Stillwell's company, 11th Regiment, Connecticut line. The name appeared in Mansfield, Windham County, Conn. in 1790'.

I soon found that Mrs. Chapman knew of the Barrows family only in a general way and nothing definite, but the lady I referred to above told me she knew of the cemetery where Lemuel Barrows



Jackson Farm Cemetery

was buried. She said it might be difficult for me to find, but she gave me the best directions she could and we started on our way. In about a half days' time I finally located the cemetery, which is known as the Jackson farm cemetery. It is in the middle of the farm, receiving no attention now, the farm formerly belonging to a family by the name of Jackson. It is about a mile out from the four corners called Navarino. In trying to find the Jackson farm, I was directed to the wrong Jackson over near the town of Amber, and made quite an unnecessary trip, as this Jackson farm had no one living upon it, but a lady living near by told me that Mortimer Jackson who lived with his son in Nararino probably could give me the location of the cemetery I was looking for. On arriving at Navarino, we found Mortimer Jackson, a very agreeable old man of eighty-five years. He not only told me where this cemetery was, but offered to go with me. The Jackson family does not own the farm now, but it is the farm where this old gentleman was born and belonged to his father. There is no public road leading to the cemetery but we had to walk across the fields.

There we found the grave of Lemuel Barrows marked as follows: 'Dea. Lemuel Barrows, died August 16, 1842, aged 80 years, 3 mos. 24 days'. On one side of his grave is the tombstone of Abigail his first wife, which is marked as follows: 'Abigail, wife of Lemuel Barrows, a native of Thompson, Conn., died April 2, 1813, aged 50 years'. On the other side of Lemuel's grave is a tombstone marked: 'Abigail, wife of Lemuel Barrows, died October 7, 1856, aged 92 years.'

Now the first wife as we know was Abigail Grant and my interest then turned to ascertaining who the second wife was. Mr. Mortimer Jackson said he thought we could get this information from the postmaster at Marietta whose name was Baker. So we drove from Navarino to Marietta and interviewed this postmaster. He stated the second wife's name at the time she married Lemuel was Abigail Barber, but he did not know her maiden name. She was a widow at the time she married Lemuel Barrows and had several children. He explained that he was descended from one of these children whom he called 'Millie' or 'Camillie' Barber. You see she was a step daughter of Lemuel Barrows. He said this Millie Barber married Ezekiel Baker and that they were his grandmother and grandfather.

Apparently Lemuel Barrows and Abigail Barber had no children. You can see by the record on her tombstone that Abigail Barber must have been about 49 when she married Lemuel.'

Very truly yours,

Laverne Bassett''

Correspondence with reference to the military record of Lemuel Barrows, and to the grant of land which he obtained from the government resulted in the following letters:

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Washington

August 29, 1933

Miss Florence M. Bancroft
303 S. Division Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter relative to one Lemuel Barrows, a soldier of the Revolutionary War.

The data contained herein are obtained from the papers on file in the Revolutionary War claim for pension, W.5780, based upon his military service in that war.

Lemuel Barrows was born April 23, 1762, place not stated.

While a resident of Killingly, Windham County, Connecticut, he enlisted March 12, 1777 as a private in Captain Daniel Allen's Company, Colonel Samuel Wyllys' Connecticut Regiment; length of service three years. He enlisted in May 1780 and about the first of June joined Captain Stillwell's Company, Colonel Samuel Wyllys' Connecticut Regiment, and was discharged the last of December 1780.

He was allowed pension on his application executed September 14, 1832 while a resident of Marcellus, Onondaga County, New York.

He died August 16, 1842 in Marcellus, New York.

Soldier married January 16, 1814 in Bridport, Addison County, Vermont, Abigail Farber.

In February 1814 they moved from Bridport, Vermont, to Marcellus, New York.

She was allowed pension on her application executed March 23, 1853 while a resident of Marcellus, New York aged eighty-eight years. She was allowed, also Warrant No. 7445 for one hundred sixty acres of bounty land under the Act of March 3, 1855. For information in regard to the location of the land, you should apply to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, this city and furnish that official the number of the warrant, acreage and act under which granted.

No reference is made to children.

Very truly yours,

A. D. HILLER,
Assistant to Administrator.

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
General Land Office
Washington

Aug. 30, 1934

In Reply Please Refer to
1563709 "K" JAR

Warrants: Lemuel Barrows

Mr. Laverne Bassett
The United States Savings Bank
Detroit, Michigan

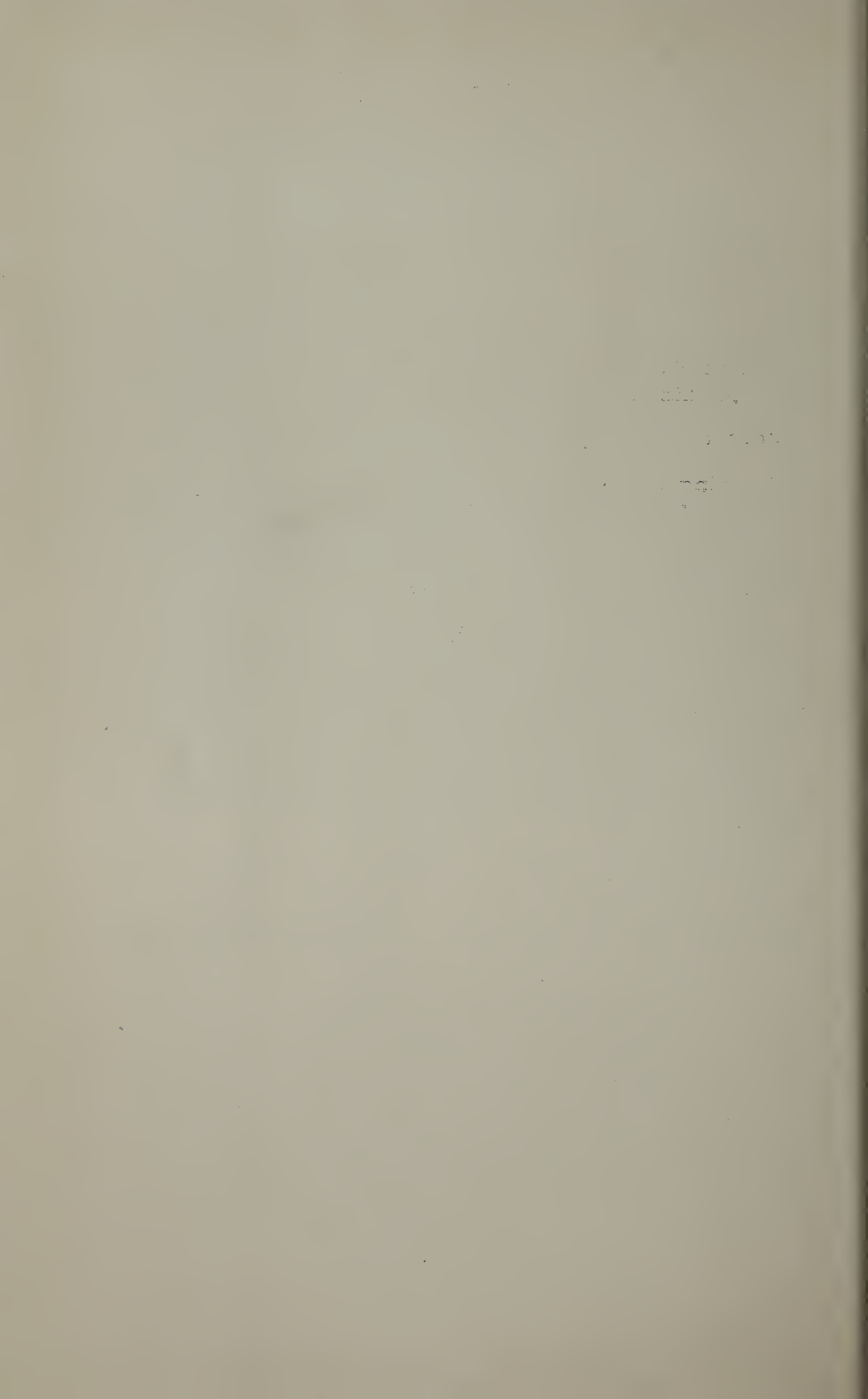
My dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of August 20, 1934, the records of this office show that on October 9, 1855, Military bounty land warrant 7445 for 160 acres was issued to Abigail Barrows, widow of Lemuel Barrows, under the act of March 3, 1855 (10 Stat. 701), on account of his service as a private in the Revolutionary War.

On November 14, 1855, the widow assigned the warrant to Cyrus K. Morrill, John H. Morrill and Lewis St. Ores, 2d. On December 10, 1855, the said assignees located the warrant on the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 6, T. 27 N., R 20 E., in the district of lands then subject to sale at Menasha, Wisconsin. The patent for the location was issued May 10, 1859, and is recorded in volume 75, page 442, of the patents issued on warrants in this office.

Very respectfully,

Antoinette Funks,
Assistant Commissioner.



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History of the Fish Family.

Joseph Fish was the fourth son of Joseph and Abigail Lothrop Fish and was born in Montville, New London Co., Conn., March 14, 1784. When quite a lad he came with his parents into the state of New York settling in Little Falls, Herkimer Co., where they kept tavern in a double log house. When Joseph became of age he left home to make his own way in the world, bidding the family good-bye and never saw his mother again, for she died soon after.

He went into Onondaga Co., where the city of Syracuse now stands and was engaged in boiling salt for a time. Eventually he went into the town of Otisco where his brother Uriah had located a farm and began making improvements. He there made himself useful in wielding the axe for he was an expert chopper and the country was almost an unbroken wilderness. In the course of time he formed new acquaintances for he was of a genial nature and fond of company.

Very soon the adjoining town of Marcellus held a strong attraction

for him in the person of Cynthia Barrows, whose acquaintance he had made and who eventually became his wife. Cynthia Barrows was the oldest child of Lemuel and Abigail Grant Barrows and was born Nov. 10, 1785 in Thompson, Windham Co. Conn. where she lived until about five years of age when the family removed to the state of Vermont settling in the town of Bridgeport, Rutland Co. where they remained until the year of 1801 or until the subject of this sketch was 17 years old. Her father then removed with his family into the state of New York, making the journey in mid-winter and crossing some portion of Lake Champlain on the ice. He settled in Onondaga Co. town of Marcellus where he located a tract of 600 acres of land granted him by government for services in the Revolutionary War, by virtue of which his descendants are eligible to become Sons and Daughters of the Revolution.

Col. Barrows settled on his farm and remained there until his death which occurred in the summer of 1843. Miss Cynthia was engaged in teaching school in the summer of 1806. A log school house had been built with an open fire place on one side. Stoves were an unknown luxury in that early day. When engaged with her little group one bright morning in June it suddenly began to grow dark and cold. A fire was kindled for both warmth

and light. She then explained to the children the cause of the darkness. There was a total eclipse of the sun which lasted over three minutes. There was consternation among the ignorant people thinking the day of judgment had come. A sombre darkness like a funeral pall overhung all nature and the time seemed so long that the darkness lasted. When the sun shone again it was like the beginning of a new day; and all Nature rejoiced.

On December 11, 1806 Joseph Fish and Cynthia Barrows were united in marriage by the Rev. Daniel Bradley at the home of the bride's parents. They made them a home in the same community where they had lived many years and where most of their twelve children were born. In the year of 1811 they moved into the town of Williamson, Ontario Co., where they procured a farm of government, built a log house near the lake and began making improvements. One morning as Mr. Fish was cutting wood at the door, he was startled by the whizzing of a bullet past his head; on looking up he saw two men in a row boat which had just reached shore. One of the men sprang out and approached him with a "Good morning, friend. Don't be alarmed. I just came for a morning call and to ask you to join our ranks in the U. S. Army. It was useless to resist so that is the way he became a soldier in the war of 1812. He serv-

ed his time and was honorably discharged.

While living in Williamson their son William was born. A change in circumstances necessitated a return to Marcellus, having lived in Williamson only two years. In 1826 they moved into the town of Tully, same county, where they lived eight years and where their youngest child Laura was born. It was while living in Tully that Mr. Fish met with an accident in handling lumber that deprived him of the two middle fingers of his right hand. In 1834 the family moved into the town of Hastings, Oswego county, but remained there only about two years before coming to Michigan.

One bright morning in June 1836 they with their six youngest children and several of their neighbors set out for the far west, the wilds of Michigan. They took passage on a line boat on the Erie Canal at Syracuse and were three days and nights on the way before reaching Buffalo. There they embarked on the steamer North America and after a tempestuous voyage of three and one half days reached Detroit. Facilities for traveling at that time were not luxurious nor even comfortable. The steam horse had not found his way into the new country.

A fine span of horses, a lumber wagon and a steady driver were procured and the family with a few boxes of necessary clothing were packed in and they started for their

destination in Jackson county, the men walking a good share of the way. The late storm had made the roads almost impassable. Streams were swollen and had to be forded, bridges were washed away, and ferries were used in transporting the emigrants. Thus they plodded on through mud and rain occasionally crossing a corduroy, which, if not very agreeable served to keep up a good circulation and aid digestion.

The scenery was varied and not altogether unpleasant. Wild flowers were abundant and the song of birds was sweet. The shrill whistle of the quail was not unwelcome, as it helped to make variety and was new to the travelers. But most unwelcome was the "More wet" that was daily experienced in answer to quail prophecy.

After four days of wearisome travel the wayfarers reached their destination at the home of their oldest daughter Sophia and her excellent husband, John M. Hunt, who gave them a most cordial welcome.

Strange as it may seem a journey of 600 miles was made in twelve days in 1836 which in this day of rapid transit can be made in the same number of hours.

Some of us have seen wonderful transformations and improvements but none of us can foretell the changes that may take place in the next fifty years. It is safe to say that no mistake was made in coming to Michigan. Prosperity was

visible everywhere.

Only four years before the first settler, Wm. Hunt, had made him a home on the plains in the township of Napoleon, now Norvell. Already there were large tracts of improved land with growing crops of various kinds. There were large fields of wheat just whitening for the harvest. The neighborhood was fast filling up with a most intelligent and excellent class of people. A school house had been built which served a double purpose for school and church for many years. The hardships and privations of new country life were not experienced for they had come where plenty was in store and dispensed with a generous hand. There was plenty of hard work before them but no one feared to meet it and to do his or her share.

After a while they made them a home of their own, finished in new country style with an open fireplace, andirons and a swinging crane. Here they lived and were contented and happy. Though the surroundings were humble there was a continual feast for love that crowned it all. There were many scenes of merry making, weddings and family gatherings, in the old house. The voice of song was often heard and the voice of prayer and thanksgiving at the family altar. The years flew by and the children one by one went out to make homes of their own. When the last one flew the

children decided that father and mother were too old to live alone and arranged to care for them the remainder of their days in their own homes.

They met their first great sorrow while living with their oldest daughter Mrs. John M. Hunt who died after a long illness. It was the first death in the family and was a hard blow to the aged father and mother. But they bowed in submission, knowing that the loving Father doeth all things well. A few years later the next oldest daughter Mrs. Huntley was taken. They also felt her death most keenly but were enabled to say "God's will be done." For several years before his death Mr. Fish was sorely afflicted in the loss of his eyesight. At first it seemed so hard it give up and become a care to his friends, he almost murmured but faith triumphed and a few months before his death he said to the one who was caring for him, "God knows what I need and though I am blind my spiritual vision is clear. I have not had a doubt nor a dark hour for a long time. I can almost see the Celestial City and hear the music of the Heavenly Choir. I shall soon be there and there are no blind eyes in Heaven. On June 3, 1862 he died after a short but painful illness at the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. J. S. Hunt; aged 78 years. Mrs. Fish survived him two and a half years. Though perhaps less

demonstrative than her husband she lived what she professed, a true Christian life. Her religion was a deep seated principle which she maintained till the last. On January 30, 1865 she bade good bye to her loved ones here and entered the Heavenly Home, where many of her children have since followed her.

The following was written by Laura J. Hunt of Erie, Pa.

At the present writing, July 12, 1904, but two of the twelve children are living, Mrs. Addison Hunt of Norvell, Mich. and Mrs. John S. Hunt of Erie, Pa., better known as Aunt Cynthia and Aunt Laura. There were no deaths in the family until every child had reached mature years, married and settled in homes of their own. All had at some period of their lives professed their faith in Christ as their Savior and had identified themselves with the visible church. A noticeable trait of character throughout the family was the love and interest each cherished for the others and their fondness for adding comfort and happiness to all. May the Father of all mercies gather every one an unbroken family into the Celestial City where the house has many Mansions.

Record of Births and Deaths of the Fish Family.

Sophia Fish born Nov. 26, 1807
Died March 9, 1851, Saline
Charles B. born Jan. 7, 1809
Died June 5, 1896, Brooklyn
Jerusha born March 14, 1810
Died Apr. 1, 1861, Norvell
William B. born May 26, 1812
Died May 12, 1895, Iowa
George B. born Nov. 13, 1813
Died March 10, 1895, Amboy
Austin S. born Aug. 26, 1815
Died Oct. 22, 1888, Sandstone
Clarrissa born Nov. 3, 1817
Died Jan. 25, 1892, Clinton
Sarah born Oct. 13, 1819
Died July 30, 1894, Norvell
Joseph G. born May 23, 1821
Died Jan. 31, 1889, Binghamton
Lemuel B. born March 31, 1823
Died Sept. 16, 1891, Kalamazoo
Cynthia A. born May 13, 1825
Laura J. born March 28, 1827

MRS. C. A. HUNT,
Norvell, Mich., Aug. 8, 1904

RHYMES
FOR
FISHES



Moore-Webb

POEM BY REV. W. L. PALMER

Poem written by Wm. Palmer and read at the Fish Family reunion in Clinton, Michigan, at George Calhoun's in 1885.

In Connecticut, 1785,
Cynthia Barrows, a babe, was then alive.
November tenth the day on which she came
A place among the living babes to claim,
When four years old into the north she went,
Her youthful years on Lake Champlain she spent.
On March thirteenth, in seventeen-eighty-four,
Time opened then for Joseph Fish a door
Into this world, and into it he came
To have among the good a place and name.
December eleventh, eighteen hundred six,—
Young people all are up to such like tricks,—
Did Joseph Fish and Cynthia Barrows too,
Agree in wedlock to be good and true.
Their wedded happiness began that day,
As minister and witnesses do say.
November, eighteen-seven Sophia was born,
We know not whether it was night or morn
The day was twenty-sixth, so it was said,
And thus the record may by you be read.
Charles came along in eighteen hundred nine
And coming, gave a baby's countersign.
'Twas January seventh, the day was cold,
But he was warm in sheets and blankets rolled.
On March fourteenth, in eighteen hundred ten,
Jerusha came to see this world, and when
Her eyes first opened on this world of sin
It seemed to her a world worth living in,
A cheerful little kind of will-o'-wisp,
Who early learned her mother's name to lisp.
When May the twenty-sixth had come about
In eighteen hundred twelve, without a doubt,
Then Wm. Fish stepped out on life's broad stage
And wrote his name on life's transposing page.
'Twas on the thirteenth day of sere November,
So those do say who dates can well remember,
That George's little face was to be seen,
The year was eighteen hundred and thirteen.
When Austin thought it was about his time
To enter on this lower world subline,
He chose the month of August when he'd come
And have a peep at life in Christendom.
He thought that August twenty-sixth was just as good
As any to surprise the neighborhood
And eighteen fifteen was the very year
He sought a home on this fast flying sphere.

When Clarissa Fish would choose a time
To be transplanted to this lower clime,
The year was eighteen hundred seventeen
In which she chose by mortals to be seen,
She liked November as a month for birth
And on the third she first appeared on earth.
When it came Sarah's turn her part to pay,
And to begin she was to set the day,
She liked October and the day thirteen
When as a new arrival she'd be seen,
And so the year was 1819 when
The little cradle was brought out again.

For in sweet May of eighteen twenty-one
The life of Joseph Fish was just begun,
The twenty-third saw Joseph setting out
On life's broad pathway widening all about,
And opening vistas in the future gleamed
And stars of omens on his birthday beamed.
And He who watches
From whom the fullness of bright glory
 streams
Sent Lemuel the gospel to proclaim
And sound abroad the Saviour's precious name.
On March the 31st, in '23
Began his circle of eternity.

'Twas eighteen twenty-five when May had come,
When hears of birds their songs, of bees their hum,
That Cynthia came the world's broad field to scan
And take a part in the Maker's precious plan
Nor had bright May quite half her days spun out,
When Cynthia ope'd her eyes and gazed about,
She chose the 13th as her day of birth,
And to the household waked a song of mirth.

For Laura Fish would ne'er be left behind,
Among the rest to be she had a mind,
Perhaps in this we quite anticipate;
For what at first she thought we cannot state.
'Twas fate that one must added to be 'leven,
'Tis sure his thought was ratified in heaven;
For in a mine the Maker's hand did delve—
And Laura came to make the number twelve.
In eighteen twenty-seven she was born,
And glorious sunrise blest the dawning morn.
On March the 28th she earthward came,
As twelve apostles stood the ranks the same.
The patriarchs were twelve and it were meet
The sacred number should be thus complete.

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Written in 1889 by Mary Moore Webb

RHYMES FOR FISHES

Mary E. Moore

On being recipient of the word
That I was to be poet of the day
And the kindly advice accompanying it
To begin labor right away

My heart did sink within me,
And as I thought it o'er and o'er
I felt no poorer selection
Was ever made before.

How I longed to be a poet—
One worthy of the name
For the good that I might do
And possibly for fame.

But a poet clothes his thoughts
In words both eloquent and grand
While a simple rhymers cannot
Such eloquence command.

But to do the best I can
Most certainly I'll try
Trusting you will kindly pass
All imperfections by.

For of fishes no great thing
Was ever yet expected,
Yet still wonders even
Among them are detected.

But the greatest wonder of all,
The most difficult to understand,
Is the surviving and thriving
Of the Fishes on the land.

The many different classes
And the name that each does bear
Should be mentioned here I think
And be noted down with care.

And when the classes have been named
Perhaps we may agree
That they are quite as numerous
As those within the sea.

The eldest ones were Fishes
Simply Fish and nothing more
While the classes which soon followed
And are numbered by the score

Bear such names as these
Which I'm about to mention.
You will recognize them all
If you pay me close attention.

There is a class called Randall
One of Palmer and Huntly too
And the Hunts labored faithfully
To classify anew.

Eggleston, Holmes and Bancroft
Hoisington and Hess
Bassett, Rhead and Wells
And I must confess

That to name them all
Is a dreadful plague—
There is Calhoun and Alderdyce
Ambrose, Moore and Haigh.

Derrick, Schofield and Stannard
Are names which cannot be beaten
Then we have Alsavor, Shrive and Peck
Anderson, Barns and Wheaton

There is Ellis, Stevenson and Northway
And as I name all o'er
You undoubtedly are thinking
That surely here is Moore.

We are Fishes of the highest order
For among us may be found
Men and women great and good
Whose minds and intellects are sound.

Some of us are young,
And some of us are old,
And some are just those ages
Which are so seldom told.

Some of us are large,
And some of us are small,
Many of us are short,
But a few of us are tall.

Some are extremely lean,
And some immensely fat,
Some are almost round,
And some are rather flat.

In forms, you see, we vary
As the water fishes do.
Our eyes are various colors
But the most, I think, are blue.

Among the coverings of our heads
Are hairs of every grade.
Colors; Black, white, and yellow
Red and brown of many a shade.

Some of us are dark,
And some are very fair,
But for all these variations
We do not seem to care.

We are all blessed, I think,
With tender hearts and kind
And better relatives than ours
We would not care to find.

Occupations and accomplishments
Of many and various kinds
Are represented by our numbers
Therefore proving we have minds.

We have doctors, mechanics, and lawyers,
Farmers, inventors, and preachers,
Carpenters, merchants, and druggists,
Milliners, dressmakers, and teachers,

Also housekeepers and boarding-house keepers,
We have a dentist, of course,
And bummers Perhaps two or three,
While one of our numbers, I think,
Could pilot us over the sea.

And then we have our conductors,
And blacksmiths, too, are ours.
Are we not, indeed, a strong people,
With many and wonderful powers?

We have authors and artists, I think
Who have done some work that is well,
But none as far as I know
Claims to have power to excell.

Among us are many musicians
Some rank among the best.
Of other occupations and acquirements
I did not learn the rest,

But these are quite enough
To make us noted in the land
And we feel that second to none
Will the tribe of Fishes stand.

And we the Fish family
Who today are gathered here
Have looked forward to this day
As one of the happiest of all the year

This, the 7th day of August
In the year 1889
Will be cherished by all of us
Long in memory's shrine.

We have pictured in our minds
What this gathering would be
And the joy which now is ours
As these relatives we see.

We have thought of these who are present
And those who are far away
And wished it might be possible
For all to be here to-day.

We have asked our Father's blessing
On this day as it drew near
Now we'll lift our hearts in thankfulness
For the blessings which are here.

Nor do we forget the loved ones
Who will meet us here no more
But are waiting to give us a welcome
To that beautiful golden shore.

We have thought of them so often
While planning for this day,
And it brought the heaven nearer
Which had seemed so far away.

Sometime there will be a gathering
Where those loved ones we may meet
The last—the final gathering,
The only one complete.

The Saviour has told us how
And given us time to prepare
For the great final gathering
In his mansion "over there."

Soon the invitation will come
To each and every one
Come, thy days on earth are ended
Thy work on earth is done
And are we all of us ready
For surely all must know
That this life is ours to prepare
For the home to which we go.

Has not the Saviour said,
"Watch and be ready too,
For ye know not the day or hour
When I shall call for you."

Then let us heed his counsel
Obeying each blessed command
And pray that the final gathering
May find us an unbroken band.

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